

EUBANKS HEADS CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

MANY LIVES ARE LOST IN CLOUDBURST IN TENNESSEE

STORM DETAILS LACKING SINCE WIRES DOWN

JOHNSON CITY, Tenn., June 14.—Cloudbursts near Hampton, Tenn., took heavy tolls in lives and property. According to unconfirmed reports sixteen were killed. All wires are down and details of the storm are lacking.

KANSAS WHEAT IS SAID TO BE FINE

TOPEKA, Kansas, June 14.—Wheat has ripened rapidly during the hot weather of the last few days and cutting will start in Southern Kansas in about a week, according to reports received here. While the crop has deteriorated some from the estimates of May 1, prospects are still that Kansas will have a good yield.

The grain is spotty, promising to yield well in some places while other fields have a poor stand.

Harvest hands are pouring into the state on every train, most of them are riding the freight trains, or taking advantage of reduced rates by railroads. About 40,000 extra hands from outside the state are needed.

Wages range from \$3.50 to \$4.00 plus board and keep.

Harvesting is already under way in Oklahoma and Texas and many workers are expected to drift north with the crop ripening, the army of workers gathering in numbers.

HOPE HE WON'T ACCEPT UNIVERSITY PRESIDENCY

AUSTIN, June 14.—Dr. Herbert Bolton is returning to California without giving a definite answer on whether he will accept the University presidency. Slim chances of his accepting, it is believed, Dr. Bolton explaining why he told reporters to go to hell when a reporter pressed him for a statement, said he always told reporters this when he had nothing to say.

FORESTERS TO CELEBRATE

CHICAGO (United Press)—National headquarters of the Independent Order of Foresters, which is preparing to celebrate its golden jubilee on June 17 with commemorative exercises throughout the United States and Canada, have been opened in Chicago. Frank E. Hand, who has directed the order's affairs on the Pacific Coast for the last eighteen years, is in charge of the new office.

U. S. USES MUCH OPIUM

CHICAGO.—Opium enough is consumed in the United States annually to keep every man, woman and child in the country under the influence of "ope" for twenty-five consecutive days, according to Dr. Herman N. Gunderson, health commissioner of Chicago, in an address here before the mid-year convention of the National Fraternal Congress.

TO STUDY QUARRYING

BEDFORD, Ind. (United Press)—Students of mining engineering, representing a number of different educational institutions, will go into the stone quarries of the Bedford-Bloomington district this summer to study latest methods of scientific quarrying. Perhaps the largest single group will be the forty mining engineering students from Lehigh University, who will travel 3,000 miles in the United States and Canada this summer, getting first hand instruction in mining industries.

ELKS OBSERVE FLAG DAY IN THE CITY

The Mexia Elks Lodge was decorated with the Stars and Stripes Saturday, the day being flag day throughout Elkdom. A program was given at the Methodist church by the Elks last night in honor of the occasion.

JAPANESE GIVE FLOWERS TO U. S. FLYERS.



JAPAN WELCOMING U. S. FLYERS.

SPECTACULAR CASE BEING TRIED IN MISSOURI COURTS

LIBERTY, Mo., June 14.—The battle to break the will of Mrs. Julia Woods Davies, leaving an estate of \$1,000,000 to Captain Harry Zeitun, once an interpreter in a London police court, today revealed a story of spectacular spending by a woman in search of adventure.

Witnesses told how Mrs. Davies, seeking thrills in Europe, fell under a "hypnotic influence" of Zeitun. They declared he encouraged her in the use of drugs, to which she had been addicted for years; coaxed the wealthy woman to appoint him as her secretary and then while under the influence of drugs, made a will leaving him her entire estate.

George Westlawn Davies, an opera singer of St. Louis, the woman's fourth husband, and her two daughters Miss Ruth Ruby and Mrs. James Kemper of Kansas City brought the suit to have the will broken.

Trustees of the woman's estate said she had an income in excess of \$1,000 a month. Her physician said she was insane from the use of drugs and alcoholics.

The will favoring Zeitun was made in London May 8, 1922 and Mrs. Davies died soon after.

BURIED IN BUNCHES OF HYACINTH BLOOMS.



DUTCH GIRL BURIED IN HYACINTHS.

CAPTAIN FRANK HUGHES PIONEER CITIZEN LAID TO REST HERE SATURDAY

The funeral of Captain Frank Hughes, who died Friday morning in Dallas at the home of his daughter, Mrs. R. W. Cosmanan, was held Saturday afternoon from the First Presbyterian church of which he was a member. The services at the church were conducted by Rev. E. H. Hudson, pastor, and Dr. W. S. Red of Austin, a former pastor of the church, which was impressive, and was added to by some sweet music rendered by a picked choir.

Following out of town relatives and friends attended the funeral:

Children
Mrs. Dick Steen of Port Arthur.
Mrs. R. W. Cosmanan of Dallas, and
Mr. Cosmanan.
John H. Ferrell (step son) of Beggs,
Oklahoma.

Grand Children.
Frank Steen of Del Rio.
Mrs. E. E. Davis of Harrisburg,
Texas.
Misses Ruth and Julia Cosmanan of
Dallas.
Waller, Frank, and Patrick Cosmanan
of Dallas.

Other Relatives and Friends
A. P. Carter (brother in law) J. G.
Carter, Mrs. Carter Sessions, Mrs.
Jim Sessions, Miss Lula Rogers, Miss
Metic Sessions, of Kirven.
Jim Payne, of Dew.
Dave Carter, Al Carter, Mrs. Dave
Carter, Jim Wynne of Coolidge.

BERLIN, June 14.—Five persons were killed and 16 injured seriously when a passenger train was wrecked at the Potsdam-Wansee station in the heart of the city during the rush hour today.

The crowded train crashed into a string of cars, causing the wreck. Traffic was delayed for some time.

During the dinner the Elks orches-

consumed in May, exclusive of linters, totaled 413,649 bales, compared with 630,556 bales in May of last year, the Census Bureau reported.

PITTSBURGH, Pa.—Pennsylvania crude oil was reduced 50 cents per barrel, to \$3.25. All other eastern grades were cut 25 cents.

WASHINGTON, June 14.—Cotton

PIPE ORANG STILL GOOD AFTER 116 YEARS' USE

(By International News Service)

MECHANICSBURG, Pa., June 14.—The second pipe organ to be built in America in 1807, is still in use, and, according to church records, has never been repaired.

This organ is installed in Old Peace Church, built near here in 1789. The church, one of the oldest in the country, for fifty years was used as a school house on week days and a church on Sundays.

The organ was purchased from Conrad Doll, an organ builder, who lived in Lancaster. The keys were made of wood, and the instrument had six stops. When completed the instrument had 300 pipes.

RAY WATSON EXPECTED TO RACE IN OLYMPICS

SYRACUSE, N. Y.—Ray Watson, famous member of the Illinois A. C. of Chicago, is the latest and most brilliant addition to Coach Tom Keane's collection of Olympic aspirants at Syracuse University.

Watson, a running mate to Joe Ray and Ray Bucker, is at present national half-mile champion of the United States, having won the title last year from Alan Helfreich at Chicago. He is one of the most versatile speeders in American track circles, running any distance from 880 yards to 5,000 meters.

CHICAGO, June 14.—Paul Wage

Tulsa, Oklahoma, a police character was arrested in connection with the mail robbery. Police said they found five \$1000 bills and five \$100 bills on Wage. The money, which was blood spattered, corresponded to the description of bills seized by the bandits. A man and woman were also arrested.

CHICAGO, June 14.—General

Dawes received a hearty welcome on arrival this morning, but smilingly refused to make any statement on his vice presidential nomination. General Dawes said he would go to his office to attend to a "pile of business," and would later go to his suburban home to welcome neighbors who have planned a big celebration.

SAN PEDRO, Calif.—Questioning

of officers and men of the battleship Mississippi brought forth nothing but the highest praise for the heroism shown in the gun turret explosion. Captain W. D. Brotherton, commanding officer of the ship, told the Naval Board inquiry that he blamed no one. "They all did their duty to the best of their ability," he said as he wept openly. The actual cause of the tragedy is still a mystery. The bodies were brought ashore in plain caskets decorated with the flag. A public funeral will be held Tuesday morning and then the bodies will be started home. Full honors will be accorded the dead.

MAUGHAN AGAIN TO TRY DAWN-TO-DUSK FLIGHT

MINEOLA, N. Y.—Lieut. Russell

Maughan will attempt for a third time a cross continent flight to be made between sunrise and sunset of the same day. The flight, it was announced, would get under way from Mitchell Field at daylight June 15 or as soon thereafter as weather permits.

The first jump will be 570 miles over the mountains to Dayton. Maughan's ship will carry 238 gallons of gas. The stops will be Dayton, St. Joseph, Mo., Cheyenne, Wyo., Salado, Utah, and then San Francisco. Under this scheme Maughan will spend no more than 15 minutes at any stop.

Lieutenant Maughan is here now testing his plane.

HERE'S 480,000 MORE VOTES AGAINST DEMOS

WASHINGTON, June 14.—President

Coolidge ordered that beginning July 1 all departments pay increases averaging \$240 annually to approximately 480,000 field employees. The increases were voted by Congress but the bill failed to become a law because it lacked certain signatures.

Mrs. Allie P. Owings and little Miss Frances, daughter and granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Speed are visiting home folks for the summer.

FRANCE RULED BY SOCIALISTS

By WEBB MILLER

(United Press Staff Correspondent)

PARIS, June 14.—Socialist Government in France became a reality today when Edouard Herriot accepted the invitation of President Doumergue to form a new cabinet. Herriot expects his list of ministers will be completed before tonight and hopes to be ready to confer with Prime Minister MacDonald of Great Britain June 21.

Doumergue spent the morning in conference with leaders of the Left, all of whom advised him to summon M. Herriot to form a Government to replace the Marcellin cabinet, which resigned yesterday as soon as the election of the new president of the Republic was announced.

U. S. ENABLES BULGARIA TO PRODUCE PHYSICIANS

(By International News Service)

SOFIA, June 14.—Bulgaria's crop of practicing physicians has been augmented by the first detachment of "home-made" doctors ever produced in this country.

The Medical Department of Sofia University has just graduated its first class. The department was established during the war, but it was not until four years ago that a complete medical course was instituted. There were fortythree students in the first graduating class.

Directors Name New Officers For Mexia C of C

The Board of Directors of the Mexia Chamber of Commerce, at a meeting held Friday afternoon, elected Hardy Eubanks President of the organization.

The meeting was called to order by Vice President L. S. Patterson who stated that the object of the gathering was to select a President and other officers.

Weaver Barnett placed in nomination Mr. Eubanks, stating that after much thought he believed Mr. Eubanks to be the man for the place. The vote given attested the unanimity of opinion of those gathered.

Noel Hollingsworth was elected First Vice President and Gene Sinclair Second Vice President.

Before accepting the office, Mr. Eubanks asked for a statement from the directors as to whether they could be counted on to give their whole soul'd support to the Chamber of Commerce in case he did accept. He was assured of such backing and consented to perform the duties of the office.

Mr. Eubanks succeeds John Sweet to the office, Mr. Sweet having served the past year.

He is also President of the Rotary club of Mexia and for the past three years has been actively identified with the activities looking to the development of Mexia.

Jere Cason, the Secretary succeeding Ben F. Stollenwerck, is Secretary of the Lions club.

The new Board of Directors is as follows:

Cox Brodnax, W. W. Barnett, John G. Phillips, J. K. Hughes, J. W. Prickett, Phil Karner, F. P. Huchinson, S. Patterson, David Murphy, N. Hollingsworth, J. W. McLendon and Gene Sinclair.

The Advisory Board is composed of Blake Smith, Jack Womack, Dr. R. B. Jackson, and Mayor Ernest Watson.

With this strong official family, representing practically every interest of Mexia and of the Mexia community, the outlook for a year of real achievement is encouraging, according to those interested in the development of the section.

Mr. Eubanks is certain to give the Chamber of Commerce an administration that will be highly pleasing because of its achievements. He is a big man with a big job before him and is assured of the help of other big men who have the same high hopes of building here a bigger and better city.

PACKERS WIN CASE

AUSTIN, June 14.—After a three days trial in the federal court here, the jury in the case of Mrs. D. T. Shirley of Fort Worth against Armour & Company, returned a verdict for the defendants. Mrs. Shirley sued for \$100,000 damages for her husband's death, alleging that he died from drinking grape juice made and distributed by the company.

MAKE HAND SIGNALS MEAN SOMETHING

The meaning of hand signals varies in different parts of the country. Know your city ordinances and then observe the law carefully. Whatever you do let the driver back of you know exactly what you intend to do.

HUGHES PARK HAS PLAYGROUND READY FOR THE KIDDIES

R. D. Morgan has completed the work of installing the playground equipment in Hughes Park. The local park now has more equipment than the famous Cameron Park at Waco and more than is to be found in any single park in Texas. The public is urged to go to see what has been done through the efforts of Messmes W. W. Barnett, George Peyton, John Sweet and R. D. Morgan and by the generosity of J. K. Hughes who not only presented the park but the money for the equipment also.

U. S. RANKS HIGH
FOR OLYMPIC POLO

By PERCY M. EARL

(United Press Staff Correspondent) LONDON, June 13.—It looks like the finals for the Olympic polo championship will be confined to the United States, Argentine and Great Britain. Such is the impression gained from talks with the leading players of these countries, now in England for practice and sharpening-up with a view to triumph at Paris.

British, Argentine and American players are not greatly worried about possible French, Spanish or other opponents. They have their eyes on each other.

Jack Nelson, Argentina's brilliant captain, is quietly confident of beating England—if Argentina meets them—but is not quite sure about America.

The reason that Nelson is doubtful about America is that there is something of an "if" about Argentina and Great Britain. There is apparently none about the United States team.

The present Argentine team is of an experimental character, as the members had not, prior to arrival in England, played together as a team. As regards ponies, no fears are entertained, for Jack Nelson told me that his string of 33 animals is far superior to those brought over for the matches with England last year.

As regards individual players, Nelson is quite satisfied. A Kenny, the Argentine No. 1, is a magnificent player and one of the best amateur jockeys in the southern republic. Kenny was unable to make the voyage last year and the "Big Four" earned international fame. Unfortunately for Argentina only two of them are left to contest the Olympic championship. At the last moment Davis Miles was unable to make the journey and Tacey is barred, under Olympic rules, owing to not having been born in the Argentine—actually he was born in Canada, I believe. Argentina's bad luck will probably prove England's fortune, for Tacey, not wishing to drop out of international polo, has intimated his readiness to accept selection for the British team which will visit America in September to fight for the international cup. His selection is almost a forgone conclusion.

Reverting to the Argentine team, David Miles' absence may not be an insurmountable difficulty, for it necessitates Jack Miles playing No. 3 and Captain Nelson says that is really his proper position. For the important position of "hock" the Argentines have Captain Padilla, a player who in early practice matches earned golden opinions here. Captain Nelson plays No. 2. The reserve will be Brooke Negley.

The United States lineup will be "Tommy" Hitchcock, of the Aiken Polo Club; Rodman Wanamaker, Bryn Mawr Polo Club; Elmer J. Pardee, Jr., Santa Barbara Polo Club; Frederick, Bob, Bryn Mawr Polo Club; reserve, George Moore, Santa Barbara Club.

Hitchcock is recognized as one of the best men playing today. His lightning dashes up the field in the famous Mithun team which won the Westchester Cup from England a couple of years ago and are still remembered here with painful admiration.

Rodman Wanamaker is fairly well known here, and is classed as "plus 6" under British rules. I personally think his abilities will be largely increased before this season is ended. At present, one cannot say that the United States team compares with the "Big Four" which won the Westchester Cup, but they are fine players and well mounted. Hitchcock himself might win any match.

CHICKENS AUTOCRATIC
AND AMBITIONISTS, TOO

SARANAC LAKE, N. Y. (United Press)—Adirondack hens lead the world in production and style. Daniel Lamont, residing in the northern section of the county, has a Plymouth Rock hen that resides in the name of Cissy. So proud is the hen of her numerous eggs that each is marked with a well defined "C" in a sort of old English.

L. B. Branch of Keene, had a little hen just yearning to become a mother. He put her on fourteen eggs and told her to get busy. She did. She hatched fifteen chicks.

Mrs. Ronie Ruet was a Dallas visitor Wednesday, returning by way of Richland where Mr. Ruet has been engaged in the oil field recently.

Miss Francis Corley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John R. Corley, who has been attending Southern Methodist University at Dallas, has returned to her home here for the summer.

H. O. Tatum of Waco, an alternate delegate to the National Democratic Convention from the District, was in Mexia Saturday. He does not think he will be able to attend the big convention right at the beginning to receive a name of merit in regard to the affair, he finds his interest in the meeting constantly increasing.

W. H. Koenig, who has been serving as the set check here for the Southern Pacific for several months, has been transferred to El Paso and left Saturday for his new station. E. T. Lucas is temporarily filling the place left vacant by Mr. Koenig's transfer. The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Koenig here wish them much success and happiness in their new home.



Patterson's Column



A VISITOR to my imitation

OFFICE TODAY gently ragged

ME AND seemed greatly surprised

WHEN HE saw on my desk a

BIBLE A dictionary and Wells

"OUTLINE OF History"

IT LOOKED funny to him that

A FELLOW as he put it with

OVER HALF his life already

LIVED WOULD burden himself

WTH HEAVY literature

HAD HE looked further at my

HOME IN my book case and on

SHELVES AND in boxes he would

HAVE FOUND also Gibbons

"DECLINE AND Fall of the

ROMAN EMPIRE" and other

HISTORICAL WORKS of ancient

MEDIEVAL AND modern times

AS WELL as Adams Smiths

AND HENRY George's

WORKS ON political economy

AND THE philosophical works

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SCOTT AND Thackeray

AND SHAKESPEARE the two

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LONGFELLOW and POE and

KIPLING AND Riley on down

TO EDGAR Guest Owen Friend

WATKINS AND Ben B. Hunt

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SPIRITUAL HELP I have the

BIBLE AT hand—If in a mood

FOR POETRY I have many

VOLUMES FOR humor I have

TWAIN'S AND HOLMES and even

ARE CHESTERFIELD'S letters

IF HEAVY stuff upon topics

OF THE day

THERE IS Garland Adairs

EDITORIAL AND if I have to

HAVE SPICE there is Patterson's

COLUMN AND if it is Jewelry

I NEED I go to Patterson's fine

STORE BY Goily—which is

RIGHT HERE in Mexia—where he

SELLS THE best there is—and

LOTS OF it at moderate

PRICES—I thank you.

—Patterson.

ST. MARY'S WONDERFUL GROWTH
RELATED AT BANQUET GIVEN
REV. JOSEPH KELLEY, PASTOR

St. Mary's Rectory was the scene Thursday evening of a banquet tendered to Rev. Joseph Kelley, pastor of the local Catholic church, the occasion being the fifth anniversary of his elevation to the priesthood, half of which period being the time spent with the Mexia church.

Mrs. Catherine McGaugh arranged the evening of entertainment, which was participated in by many friends of the honoree. A sumptuous banquet prepared by the ladies of the church, followed by after dinner speeches, music and readings featured the unusually brilliant affair.

Rev. C. E. Byrne, Bishop of Galveston, Father Heckman of Waco and Messrs. McGrath and Felt, local patriarchs of the Catholic church of this city were honor guests of the occasion, and who joined by presence or by speech in paying their respects to Rev. Kelley.

Others present were David Murphy, who served as toastmaster, J. Sandford Smith, J. K. Hughes, Jack Womack, Dr. Lennion Metcalf, John Maddox, R. B. Mosley, John Corley, Jr., E. Nussbaum, F. P. Hutchings, Guy Forrest, Jim Pickett, W. S. Banks, E. L. Smith, W. B. Kendrick, and A. Garland Adair of The News.

Mr. Murphy stated the purpose of the banquet which was to commemorate the fifth anniversary of Father Kelley's rise to the priesthood and to congratulate him upon his noteworthy achievements while in Mexia.

He asked the Bishop, Rev. Byrne, to speak first and to tell of whatever shortcomings he knew to exist in Rev. Kelley, Rev. Byrne responded in his own earnest way, saying among other things that Father Kelley was one of his own products and that he was very proud of him and of his record. He stated that it was unusual to witness a banquet given to one so young in years and so young in the church. The Catholic church is so old, its history goes back so far in the centuries, that the custom generally observed is not to honor a pastor unless he has served about a half a century" said Rev. Byrne.

The speaker said that he had seen 20 young men under his ministry in recent years who had entered the priesthood, Rev. Kelley being one of them. He was glad to know that he had made good among the non-Catholic citizens of the community who had assisted materially in bringing about the achievements and growth of the local church. It was his hope, he said, that Rev. Kelley would not view the occasion in any other but the spirit of humility. He also paid a tribute to the women who had done the biggest part of the work in building the Mexia property up to its present value.

Father Heckman also was introduced and spoke in humorous fashion, concluding by sharing in the words of commendation for Father Kelley. He said that he preached the funeral of a priest in Waco not long ago and an old fashioned negro of the Baptist faith was present and heard the sermon. He later asked her how she liked his sermon. She said: "It was just simply fine, you're as good as white now. I ever seen who could preach like a nigger." He said the occasion reminded him that gathering only that the nice things then said was for the dead, while those spoken on this occasion were for the living. He also told another joke, saying that Father Kelley, not long ago was in the President Sanitarium at Waco. While under the influence of an anesthetic the nurse pulled the blind down. Later when he became conscious, he asked if it was night or day. To

by opening wider the field of service by which all might be benefited.

MISS DESENBERG ENTERTAINS

Miss Corinne Desenberg entertained the Thursday Luncheon club Thursday of this past week. A three course luncheon was served to the club members. Several guests were present, including Mrs. John Poindexter of Ardmore, Mrs. Sam Cox, J. W. Lanning, Georgia Bergeron and Shelley Harper. Mrs. Poindexter was awarded the guest prize and Mrs. Val Horn received the prize for the highest score.

MRS COOK ENTERTAINS

One of the delightful social events of the past week of much pleasure was that afforded to Canton Street Bridge Club by Mrs. Roseco Cook. Miss Elsie Desenberg was awarded the high score prize, following spirited contests featuring the occasion.

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At the conclusion of the program during which Father Kelley was presented with several checks and an order for a suit of clothes, he was called upon to respond to the addresses made. He stated how deeply he appreciated the banquet occasion which was a distinct surprise to him, knowing as he did the custom of the church not to honor a man in its service until he had spent a quarter of a century or more actively engaged in its welfare. He said that he hoped that Bishop Byrne would grant him a few days of grace so that he might enjoy what had been said of him with some degree of pride before he took on the spirit of humility recommended and to which he agreed as the most becoming virtue. He assured all present of his friendship in return for theirs and told them not to hesitate to call on him at any time and to make themselves at home in his home. He claimed little credit for what had been done in Mexia, saying that the credit should go to the women whom he had selected for the work and to Protestants as well as Catholics for the finances which had made the local church property what it was. He recounted his experiences and hardships, as well as the successes, in Mexia. When he was sent here by Bishop Byrne two and a half years ago, he declared that he could not find a man in Mexia who knew where the Catholic church was located. He finally discovered it himself near the Sumpter Street Grammar School. There he asked a boy if that was the Catholic church. On being told that it was, he went inside and found the place dilapidated and with none of the essentials for a service scarcely to be found. He had to live in Teague during these days. His first service on Sunday here found only twelve persons present. And today the local church property, the rectory, the St. Mary's church and the lots they are located on and the paving represent a value of \$10,000. He said that the non-Catholic citizens of this community had paid, he verily believed, \$25,000 of that amount. It was, therefore, natural for him to feel deeply appreciative of all acts of friendship, and of all service rendered. The men present, he said, had contributed largely to the cause, at the same time deplored that many others who had aided them were not present on the occasion. It was his hope, he declared, that the gathering would result in cementing more closely the ties of friendship, there-

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MRS. HICKMAN ENTERTAINS AN ALL DAY PARTY

A most enjoyable affair recently given was an "all day" party of the "18" Sewing Club at the home of Mrs. Rush Hickman.

Each member of the club brings an appetizing dish for their "all day" affair, the consequent menu being that of a dinner of choice and substantial proportions. Mrs. Hickman's home was bright and fragrant with the various flowers of spring, the dining table presenting a charming picture with its dress of exquisite linen, sparkle of China and silver and its center place of jessamines.

Baked spring chicken, rice, gravy, new English peas, beans and potatoes with ham bone, tomatoe and lettuce salad, strawberry preserves, chow chow, pickled beets, ice tan, ice cream and angel food cake, were hugely enjoyed by all.

Shortly after dinner when all were busily engaged with their sewing, a most unusual type of peddler came to the door and upon being admitted to the house displayed various articles, lace, hose, the pins, etc. The "dago" brogue of the peddler, her seriousness and perfect good disguise, did not readily lead to her being recognized as the charming hostess of the day.

Another clever plan of the hostess for entertaining her guests was on original contest called "Know Each Other." Where the answer to the questions are the names of the members of the club.

"Know Each Other"

1. A flower (Blossom) and what do we get hot? (Sweat.)

2. A place where poppies grow, a letter (Francis) and a person of nobility (King.)

3. Part of an old song (Nila) what do we do when we do wrong and the name of a girl (Sinclair.)

4. One of the months (May) and one who makes and tends a garden (Gardner.)

5. The sound of a letter—Miss Kennedy's brother's name (Elen) a hole, and a grown boy (Plitman.)

6. Her first is the name of a boy and girl (Leila.) What you do when you settle an account and 2,000 lbs. (Cook.)

7. A boy's name—what some people call their mother (Alma) and a servant (Cook.)

8. The way some people cut the neck of their dress, an epoch of history (Vera) a country jay and a city dude (Hickman.)

9. Her first is a precious stone (Pearl) millionaire, a letter and a preposition (Goolsby.)

10. A capital letter, past tense of ate (Kate) and a grove of trees (Forest.)

11. A Biblical name (Mary an ex-education, and the name of an old Mexia family (Howard.)

12. An insect, fifth letter of the alphabet, and two letters alike (Bess) a coop (i) two letters of a alphabet and a boy (Hutchison.)

13. I can't tell you her first, if I did you know her last, but the first letter of her given name is to behold (Clara.) Her last name is the name of a Mexia Banker's boy and two letters that sound like a story when it's concluded (Stevens.)

These thirteen friends enjoy each other and their work very much and especially do they enjoy such gracious hostess as Mrs. Hickman.

Mrs. Ferry, guest of Mrs. John Sewall, was an out of town guest.

W. R. BOYD MAKES APPEAL FOR VOTES IN 77TH DISTRICT

Hon. W. R. Boyd of Teague was in Mexia Saturday and issued his formal announcement for District Judge of the 77th Judicial District, comprised of Limestone and Freestone counties. He says:

To the Democratic Voters of Limestone and Freestone Counties:

Sometime ago, I announced my candidacy for Democratic nomination for the office of District Judge of the 77th Judicial District, comprised of Limestone and Freestone counties. I have resided in Freestone county for 35 years, and have actively engaged in the practice of law continuously for the past 35 years, and feel that such experience well qualifies me for such position.

It would be a pleasure for me to see all of you in person and personally solicit the support of each, but this will hardly be possible.

I trust that those who do not know me will make a decision as to both my personal and professional qualifications for this office.

I believe in and have always stood for the strict enforcement of all our laws; for an economical administration of all our public affairs and for as rapid dispatch of the business of the courts, as is consistent with the rights of litigants.

If elected District Judge, I pledge the giving of all my energies, and the best that is in me to the fulfillment of the duties of that office.

I will make an effort to see each and all of you in person at some time prior to the election. And in the meantime I count from each and all a full investigation of myself, and trust that you will favor me with your vote and active influence.

W. R. BOYD.

Bill, Lewis and Mary Jane Schutts, of Fort Worth, are visiting their aunt, Mrs. G. A. Lyell and other relatives.

FORMER PASTOR OF MEXIA CHURCH IS VISITOR WEDNESDAY

Rev. F. C. Laslette, formerly pastor of the First Presbyterian church in Mexia was in town for a few hours Wednesday and Thursday, chatting with his many local friends. He is to speak at Teague July 6, also at Lufkin June 22 for Dr. Solomon who is pastor of the Methodist church there. Dr. Solomon is well known in Mexia and is one of the strongest preachers in Texas.

Dr. Laslette tells a wonderful story in connection with his work as State lecturer for the Near East Relief.

236 girl students at the San Marcos Baptist Academy pledged themselves to forgo breakfast every Sunday morning and give its cost to the Near East Relief which means that every Tuesday morning a check for \$25 reaches the State office of the Near East Relief in Dallas, and which also means that 147 homeless waifs are fed, clothed and sheltered every day because of the sacrifice of these San Marcos girls, for 95 per cent of all

money collected for Abenians reaches the people of that desolate and stricken land.

Dr. Laslette will leave soon for California where he will supply for speak at Bryan soon after his return.

Fine for Dancing

the Original BURNS

CONTINENTAL

SANDAL

525 So Broadway, Los Angeles California

Well dressed women insist on getting genuine Burns Sandal—the original—because they have a smart, stylish look, fit comfortably and give complete satisfaction. Made with hand-turned and hand-locked. Sizes 12½ to 8, AAA to E.

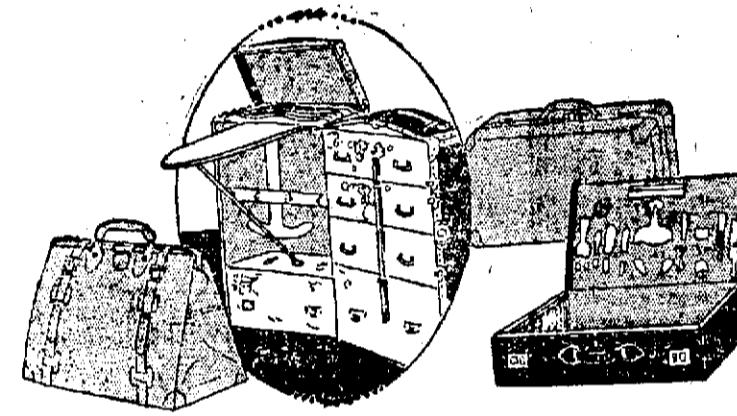
Dollars in Short Vamp Shoes write for our agency prospectus.

Look for the name "Burns Universal Sandal" stamped on the sole.

VACATION

With the Hot Summer Days—come thoughts of Vacation Time. Some are planning to go to the mountains and seashore—some will be contented at sticking around and fishing, playing golf and tennis. But whatever you do you will be wanting some special togs for out-door wear. We are ready to serve you with the wanted things—

Carry A Hartmann Trunk



You find added pleasure in your trip, if you carry your clothes in a Hartmann Trunk. And at the end of your journey you will find your clothes in perfect shape, ready to be worn. All Hartmann Trunks, both the Wardrobe and Packing Trunks, are specially priced for June, and all Suit Cases and Hand Bags are on Special Sale. We have a big assortment of Trunks, Bags and Suit Cases—come in and look them over.



SWIMMING

You'll enjoy a duck if you are wearing a Karner Phillips bathing suit.

We are showing some very snappy styles in ladies all-wool and silk and wool suits.

In men's suits the two-piece is the favorite, but we also carry a good line of the one piece suits. Bath Suits on special sale this week.



FISHING

When you go fishing or on that Auto Tour you will be wanting some "rough-it" togs.

Khaki is the favorite for it does not show soil—and you will find here a complete line of khaki for all outing purposes.

—Always
—Glad
—To Serve
—You



GOLFING

You'll enjoy the game more, clad in knickers.

For the men we have the linen knickers in several styles—also wool and cotton socks. Golf shirts and shoes.

For the women, we show the knickers and jackets, stockings and shoes—in the wanted styles.



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FINE FURNISHINGS
FOR MEN.



KEEP COOL BY WEARING

Lorraine Seersuckers

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34

and up

Priced

\$9.95

When the thermometer is standing at 92 in the shade, isn't it about time you were thinking of Something Cooler to Wear? Yes, you can solve that problem by coming down to our store and being fitted up in one of our SEERSUCKERS. We have them in desired grey and tan stripes.

A few Dark Grey Seersuckers, with two pair of pants, priced

\$14.95

LINEN SUITS AT \$14.95

Step in and take a look at these all white suits. They're cool as the ocean breeze. We're glad to show you at any time.



Everybody's Wearing Them!

POWDER BLUE SHIRTS

Probably nothing in the Shirt line in recent years has caught the fancy of the good dressers as these Powder Blue Shirts. Those of the better brands certainly are appealing and go well with any kind of Suit. The pen stripes and checks are exceedingly good and may be obtained with soft collar attached or stiff collars detached. They're priced—

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CIRCULATED
BY MAIL

"For Mexia, I WILL"

THE HOUSE BY THE SIDE OF THE ROAD
(S. W. Foss)

Let me live in my house by the side of the road,
Where the race of men go by,
The men who are good and the men who are bad,
As good and as bad as I.
I would not sit in the scorner's seat,
Nor hurl the cynic's ban,
Let me live in the house by the side of the road,
And be a friend to man.

FLAG DAY

There is no such red in the reddest rose,
There is no such blue in the skies,
There is no such white in the winter snows,
As we see when Old Glory flies.

Prince and potentate know those colors; slave and serf understand their meaning. Tropics and arctic alike have seen their gleam.

Anglo Saxon civilization has taught the individual to respect his own rights. American civilization has taught the individual that "I am my brother's keeper." Anglo Saxon civilization has taught the individual that the world is his for his own selfish conquest. American civilization has taught the individual that "Thou shalt love the Lord thy God and thy neighbor as thyself." Anglo Saxon civilization has carried its flag into every land and on every sea and fortified it with fort and garrison. American civilization has implanted its flag in the hearts of all who love Liberty.

"Time's noblest offspring is the last."

To all true Americans the flag of our country has but one meaning:

"Liberty"!

"There is no such thing as an American literature," Americans are told by the critics of the Old World.

They may be right from their own standpoint

But to those who see with clear eyes, the story of America, the real epic of the mightiest nation on earth today, is told by deeds if not by words. That tale is written on no scrap of fading paper, but it is carved deep and large for all the world to read, carved across three thousand miles of a continent above which flies the dominant flag of the Stars and Stripes which has never felt the heel of a foe. The story which the American flag holds within its gleaming folds is one besides which Iliad and Odyssey pale as nursery tales for babes. Now the tale is written in the etching on the skylines of great cities and over fields of toil where Liberty-loving men and women live by the sweat of their brow. It is the story of the wondrous rise of a nation, from a few huddled huts on a broad prairie or in tangled wild woods, skirting a few miles of the Atlantic's Ocean line, until today it has taken its place in the forefront of the powers of the world. And ever above this inspiring history, has floated majestically that banner born so long ago in the home of Betsy Ross in Philadelphia.

On the 14th of June, 1777, the flag, our flag first saw the light of a new day.

Today the name of that little woman who made the first flag, Betsy Ross, gleams high in letters of gold among the world's immortals.

Since that day, many millions of American mothers have contributed gloriously to the service of their country. Every true American home today is a shrine just like the little brick house at 339 Arch Street, where the flag was born. Made in a home by a woman, it must be protected in homes by her offspring.

Bright with steel and red with blood is the path which the American flag has traveled. Americans must never forget that it was by sacrifice and through hardships that the Stars and Stripes has been handed down to us to love, to honor and to obey, to protect and cherish and to teach our children to keep and honor with a love that leads to supreme unselfish sacrifice and service upon the altar of our home and country.

When you see this flag go by, let all Americans stand with bowed heads as it flouts past. Some may deride the expression of all noble sentiments, but do your duty even in the face of tire. Other flags are honored because of their past, but the American flag is to be honored not only because of its history but also because of its promises for tomorrow.

The American flag is the hope of the world.

With the political year now on; with great issues being discussed; with this Flag day bringing its thrilling story to the sons of men, it becomes more apparent than ever that these United States must take her place with the leading nations of the earth in a League of Nations to make the last war truly the last. The ideals of Woodrow Wilson will ultimately prevail, for they were the ideals written in every thread of our star-spangled banner.

THE COMMISSION PLAN

Description, the people elect a commission of five persons who are responsible both for legislation and for the administration of the city. They are elected at large on a non-partisan ticket. One of the Commissioners is named Mayor, usually by his colleagues but his powers are ceremonial only.

The rank and file of city employees may or may not be under civil service.

The five commissioners sitting together pass ordinances and determine administrative policies as a board. The work of the city is organized into five departments, with one commissioner at the head of each department.

Arguments pro All the affairs of the city are centralized

in the hands of a commission which can be easily watched by the voters. Election at large assures a high type of man in public office. Election of only five makes it possible for the people to know all about all the candidates. A small group can transact business with more facility than a large council. The commission is responsible for both the tax rate and the service.

Arguments Contra. Commission government is five headed administration. Administrative policies therefore are a series of compromises. The head of a department finds himself constantly overruled by the vote of other members. One of two results follows: either friction develops among the members or each commissioner is permitted to go his own way without consideration of other departments or the city as a whole. The city gets five little governments.

The commissioners being elected on a political platform, are rarely good executives and scarcely ever experienced in the administration of municipal activities.

Many popular and trustworthy persons who would make good members of a legislative body are not by nature fitted to be executive heads of a city government.

The appropriating power and spending power are in the same hands, which encourages extravagance.

MEXIA'S PARK A JOY FOREVER

If you are in favor of a public playground go by Hughes park the first opportunity and you will see a sight that will please your eye and rejoice your heart. If you are not in favor of the public playground, drive by the same park and see an argument against your belief which will forever set you right on the subject. The park now needs that band shell, seats for the grown-ups and nurses with little children. The equipment already set up gives Mexia the best playground to be found in any city park in Texas. It's all due to the generosity of the Hughes family and to the work of Mesdames R. D. Morgan, John Sweatt and George Peyton working as a committee and the help rendered by Mrs. W. W. Barnett, President of the Civic's League. Its immediate installation is due to the personal supervision and contribution of time and interest by R. D. Morgan of the city of Mexia. The park now needs the support of the citizenship, so that a permanent caretaker may be employed to look after the valuable property, to keep the park up to a high standard in appearance and to make it most serviceable to this community. Mexia citizens ought to be proud of their park and make it ever better. What has been done so far has been done without expense to the tax payers or private citizens of Mexia, outside of these herein mentioned.

THE EDITORIAL OF THE DAY

SERMONS IN STONE

The Rotarian

There seems to be a rather well-defined analogy between the architecture of our places of business, and the methods by which business is conducted. In pioneer days, practically every American factory was notable for one thing, namely, its utility. There was no particular beauty in the succession of right angles which distinguished the building, and with a few notable exceptions, the business creed was "Business is business—get while the getting's good."

With the softening of the struggle for existence came a new form of business architecture—and a new code. The angular buildings were embellished by a profusion of florid ornaments, more or less inappropriate. Intended to decorate and relieve the harsh angles, these Corinthian touches usually had the opposite effect, for their coquettishness and foliage served but to make the straight lines of the building a shade more evident. So into the business conscience there came an abundance of high-flown theory, good in itself but often grotesque in its application. Overstressed efficiency was paralleled by the Booster's Club type of advertising, and men who made a fetish of statistics were matched by men who talked glibly of "vision" meaning thereby hallucination rather than perspective. This gingerbread type of architecture still exists, and so does the business mind which tries to reconcile unethical method and ethical protestation.

But there are signs of improvement both in architecture and in business. The new generation, still further relieved from immediate necessity, looks at its critics with a calmly critical eye, and then sends for the architect and landscape gardener. It is no longer sufficient to erect a new building. If your building is to be hailed as a contribution to the city's progress it must be one whose design is not too glaring, and whose dimensions fit into the old haphazard method. So, in our business methods, it is not enough to talk. We must act. No amount of glaring billboards to proclaim our good intentions or the qualities of our products.

Prayer Meeting will be omitted Wednesday evening. Dr. Young will preach at the Central Church.

The Session and Deacons are requested to meet at the close of the morning service.

I owe to my church my zeal, my endeavor, my sympathy, my devotion, my benevolence, my sacrifice, my loyalty and my prayers. When I

OUTLOOK PROMISING FOR FURTHER DEVELOPMENT IN MEXIA TERRITORY GROESBECK GREATLY ENCOURAGED

The Mexia oil field district now is in the full expectation that another area of big production would be found to the northward. Several structures were taken up through the tie of counties northeast of Powell and a large drilling campaign was put under way several months ago. The results have demonstrated apparently that it was a case of chasing the rainbow and both the major companies and the smaller investors who followed their lead to the northward have so far encountered nothing but another experience. Soon after this situation became apparent drilling was undertaken along the line of the producing fields to the southwest of Powell with the result that another pool of high grade oil has been found at Richland, approximately between Powell and Currie fields. Thus with the field to the northward found unimpressive and with Powell, Richland, Currie and Mexia making the southward trend of production along the Balcones fault—with Luling to the southward showing the existence of production still further to the south it is only natural that the likelihood of big production in one or a number of pools southwest of the Mexia field

neglect its services I injure its good name, I discourage its members, and I chill my own soul.

God give us men. A time like this demands strong men, true faith, ready minds and willing hands.

along the fault should appeal to development.

Added to these indications for operations is the further fact that at Kosse the Humphreys Jones well and at Groesbeck the Humphreys Welch No. 2 each were oil wells in the opinion of all who saw them in action and proved the existence of productive sands in both structures. Due to these combinations of circumstances it is understood that at least three wells will be put under way within a month. In addition to these operations are the likelihood of others as indicated by the arrival of two scout geologist crews arriving here this week to work out structures in the Groesbeck territory. The Journal feels that an oil well in its own back yard is nearer at hand than ever before.

EASTERN STAR NOTICE

The Eastern Star will meet Monday evening at 8 o'clock at the Masonic Hall. All members are expected to come and visitors are welcome. This is an important meeting.

Vera S. Denning, W. M.

It is estimated that the value of perishable products saved through cold wave warnings of the United States weather bureau in the Middle West alone amounted to more than \$10,000,000 in the winter of 1922-23.

For the first time since the Thirteenth century, a woman has been appointed glazier of Exeter cathedral in England.

50 SUMMER DRESSES
GO ON SALE

MONDAY AND TUESDAY

—AT—



-Voiles, \$8.75 to \$16.50 Values

—HALF PRICE

-Organdies, \$12.50 to \$25.00 Values

—HALF PRICE

-Tissues, \$5.95 to \$14.50 values

—HALF PRICE

-Crepe and Georgettes, \$18.50 to \$37.50 values, —HALF PRICE

Practically every dress has been received within the last few days and represents every new idea of the latest summer styles.

R. E. HICKMAN DRY GOODS CO.

The Last Call At The
CUT PRICE SALE

ONE MORE WEEK of HUNDREDS of NEW BARGAINS

FAMOUS DRY GOODS STORE

STUARTS

ELECTRICIANS
AUTO SUPPLIES
RADIO SUPPLIESTEL
366Commerce At
McKinney

THE IRON GATE OUGHT TO SLOW 'EM UP A LITTLE

GAINESVILLE, Texas, June 14.—After two years of effort, John T. McCutcheon, local jeweler, has completed a safety device which he claims will make grade crossing accidents next to impossible. Railroad men who have seen a working model of the invention declared it to be entirely practical and successful.

Two years ago, McCutcheon and his wife had a narrow escape at a grade crossing. He decided then and there to work out a device that would protect motorists at crossings where the view of the track is obstructed.

The invention consists of a series of levers and controls, automatically operated by electricity. At the approach of a train, an electric circuit is completed and a red flag, a red light, and a warning bell start in motion at the crossing. In addition, iron gates are automatically lowered on each side of the crossing to prevent careless drivers disregarding the warnings.

ENGLAND HAS AN ACTIVE VOLCANO

LONDON (United Press)—England at last has an active volcano. And Londoners and others are cheerfully paying 1 shilling 6 pence to witness it in eruption.

The volcano is one of the exhibits of the New Zealand section of the British Empire Exhibition at Wembley Park, and is an extraordinarily faithful reproduction of the Rotorua Volcano in that Dominion.

Three of four eruptions daily delight spectators, and there are continuous pools of boiling mud, clouds of steam and a geyser hissing never-ending columns into the air.

Demonstrations are given how one can cook food in the boiling pools, boil eggs for breakfast and wash clothes without having to pay a gas bill.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION

THE STATE OF TEXAS,
To the Sheriff or any Constable of Limestone County—Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon Western Producing & Drilling Company, a corporation, and G. E. Kadane, by making publication of this Citation once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Limestone County, to be held at the Court House thereof, in Groesbeck, Texas, on the first Monday in August, A. D. 1921 the same being the 11th day of August, A. D. 1924, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 10th day of January, A. D. 1924, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said court as No. 4221-B, wherein Cobb-Bennett Hardware Company, a partnership composed of C. J. Cobb and R. B. Bennett, is Plaintiff, and Western Producing & Drilling Company, a corporation, and G. E. Kadane, are Defendants, and said petition alleging

That Western Producing & Drilling Company, is a corporation organized and existing under and by virtue of the laws of the State of Delaware with a permit to do business in Texas; that said defendants on or about August 1, 1922, executed its note to plaintiffs in the sum of \$812.57, payable at Mexia, Texas, on August 1st, 1923, said note bearing 8% interest from date thereof, and providing in the usual form for 10% attorney's fees, said note signed "Western Producing & Drilling Company, By G. E. Kadane, Vice President," that at the time of making said note, said G. E. Kadane promised plaintiff that in the event the Western Producing & Drilling Company did not pay same when it became due he personally would pay it and carry out all the provisions contained on the face thereof. That said note has been placed in the hands of attorneys for collection, and plaintiffs has agreed to pay them the 10% stipulated therein as attorney's fees, same being a reasonable amount. That said note is past due and unpaid, and defendants, though often requested, have failed and refused and still fail and refuse to pay same or any part thereof.

Therefore, plaintiff prays that defendants be cited to appear and answer herein, and that upon a trial before it have judgement for its debt

of \$812.57, interest, attorney's fees, and costs of suit, and for such other and further relief,

as may be justly entitled.

He who fails not, and have before said Court, at its aforesaid next regular term, this writ with your return theron showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and the Seal of said Court, at office in Groesbeck, Texas, this the 26th day of May, A. D. 1924.

JOHNSON WAKEFIELD,

Clerk District Court,

(Seal) Limestone County
by Ruby Lawley, Deputy
(June 15-22-29 July 6.)

SARTORIAL PICTURE GALLERIES



NEW CIVIL CASES HEARD IN THE DISTRICT COURTS

Groesbeck Journal
Only three new civil cases were filed in the District Court of Limestone County during the week ending June 10:

4626-B Lewis M. Seay vs H. C. Roller.

4626-B Ex parte Jas. Ross.

4627-A Sam B. Henderson vs Sudie May Henderson.

Marriage License.

The following marriage license were issued during the week ending June 10:

Fred Williams and Cora D. Bradshaw.

Roy Carter and Edna Calloway.

Ross Hancock and Louise Broadnax.

Moody Rogers and Ruby Climer.

J. C. Thompson and Emma Winn.

Jno. D. Pitts and Mary Bertielene Southwell.

W. B. Deason and Olga Brice.

Births.

Only two births were recorded in the County Clerk's office during the week ending June 10.

To Mr. and Mrs. Thos. H. Collier of Groesbeck a boy on June 8.

To Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Welch of Groesbeck a boy on May 28.

Deaths.

The following deaths in Limestone

county were recorded during the week ending June 10:

Sallie Lee Haynes, 32, of route one Mexia, died May 11.

Infant Haynes of Mexia route one died May 11.

Mrs. Bettie Fritz, 20, died at Mexia May 5.

RUSSIAN PEASANTS SEE
END OF THE WORLD

MOSCOW (By mail to United Press)

The Russian peasant, especially of the Voronezh region, has a hunch that the world is coming to an end quick.

In some places they are refusing to till or sow the land: "What's the use?"

However, the local rumors differ on how the end is coming. Some declare that there will be an earthquake and that fire out of the earth will destroy the world. The others insist on the flood theory.

Swimming Is Fine AT THE REUNION GROUNDS

COME OUT AND
TAKE A PLUNGE!

If you haven't a suit, we will rent you one.

Private Lockers for Your Clothes.
Lady Attendant: Mrs. Guy Howton

SPECIAL ATTENTION WILL BE GIVEN ORDERS FOR PARTIES AND PICNICS

FOUNTAIN IN CONNECTION

—We are serving all kinds of cold drinks at our fountain at the same prevailing prices as in Mexia. J. C. COBB, Manager.

TO THINE OWN SELF BE TRUE

By MISS ELISE GIBSON
Salutatorian Mexia High School

By MISS ELISE GIBSON
Class mates, Ladies and Gentlemen: I have chosen a subject for this evening that comes straight from my heart, it is, being true to oneself. I am no accomplished speaker, but it is quite a pleasure to stand before my class mates of '24 and this vast audience and tell you, some of the things that come to my mind. With the knowledge that an ordinary person has, he should feel that his knowledge might help someone who is less fortunate than he in obtaining an education. "Let the whole world know what you know, but do not try to show that you don't know," is a good maxim.

Carlyle also says, "Be true if you would be believed." What a tremendous value that sentence has—One might easily apply it to his everyday life. Do we ever stop to think, are we fit for myself to know. I don't

DIAMOND JEWELRY CO.

"Mexia's Leading Jewelry Store"

Inaugurates a New Epoch in the Merchandising of the Better Quality

DIAMONDS

Watches - Silverware and Jewelry With the Introduction of a Helpful

CLUB PLAN

—which without interference with our established cash clientele permits those of more moderate means but of equally fine discernment to buy on

Extended Charge Accounts

You are cordially invited to authorize us to issue you a permanent charge slip. Come in and let us explain the simplicity and convenience of our CLUB PLAN.

You may now possess the precious articles you have long desired to own—and buy them on such easy terms that their cost is hardly noticeable.

DIAMOND JEWELRY CO.

103 SOUTH SHERMAN STREET

Largest Stock of Jewelry in Limestone County

A Great Help to Mother

Here's one little fellow that's always ready and eager to make Mother's work more pleasant.

Emerson Junior

—guaranteed like all Emerson Fans for five years.

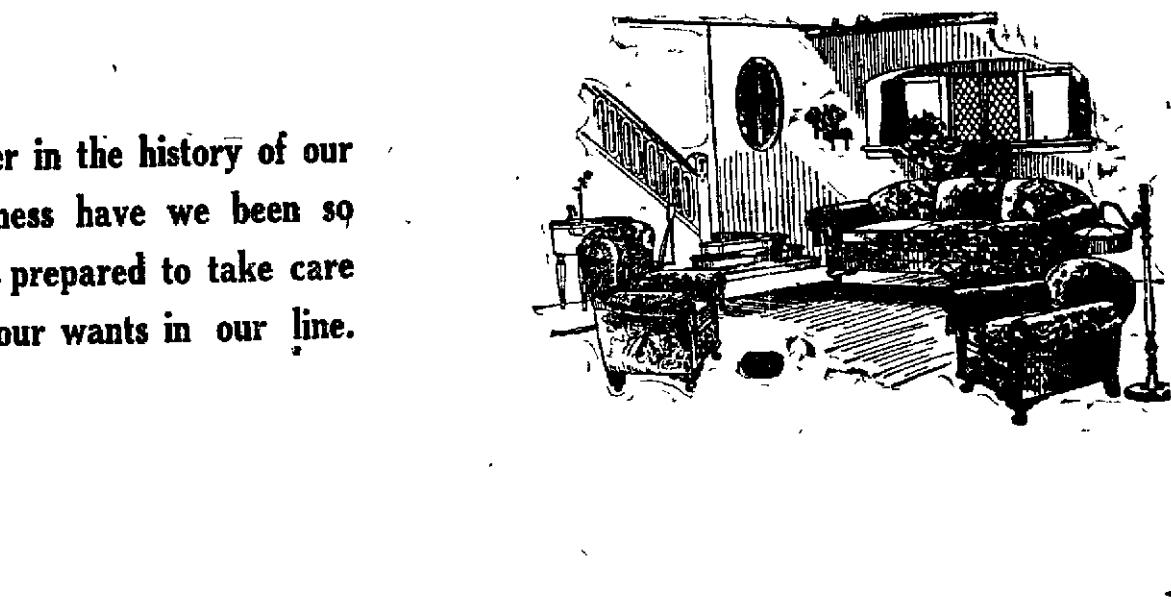
Breezy, cool and soothing; takes the sting out of summer house work. You should bring this youngster home today.

EMERSON FANS

With the 5 year guarantee

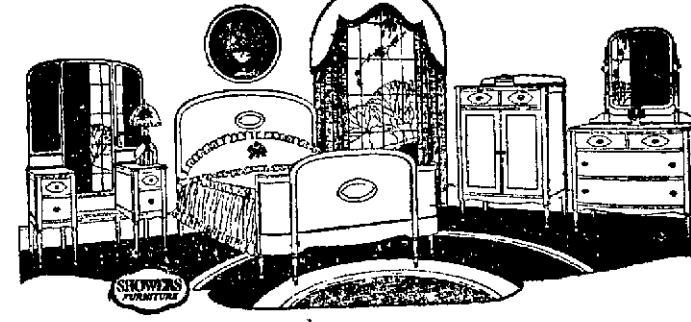
V. Wolverton Co.
HARDWARE

Never in the history of our business have we been so well prepared to take care of your wants in our line.



—Our store is full of high class properly constructed and designed merchandise and priced as low as is consistent with sound merchandising principles. You do not want more.

—We are financially able to handle your account to your entire satisfaction, enabling you to enjoy the real comforts of home while you pay for it.



Our second hand department should be of interest to a great many people. We are now in the market for any thing in second hand furniture, stoves, etc., that you may have to sell.

—Don't sell your second hand articles to any one until we have had an opportunity to make you an offer on it. We already have a number of second-hand articles for sale at real bargains, either for cash or on liberal terms.

—We want your business and are willing to put ourselves to the necessary trouble to get it.

J. I. RIDDLE & COMPANY

PHONE 149

309-11 E. COMMERCE ST.

Hear Young Preach and Croxton Sing At Revival, June 18 to 29

SEVENTH COURT HOUSE IS NOW GOING UP IN LIMESTONE

GROESBECK, Texas, June 15.—Limestone County's seventh Court House is now well under way and will likely be completed by January 1st, A. D. 1925. The marble coping around the top is being put in place and plasterers have been at work finishing the inside of the building for more than a month now.

This new structure occupies the block just east east of where the old building now stands and will be even more conveniently located as to the business section of the city than was the old building. It is a poured concrete frame, heavily reinforced, with outside finish of faced brick and dressed marble, and will be fire proof throughout. The grounds will be filled in and beautified with trees and shrubs and its surroundings improved generally. The building was designed by the Rice Engineering Company and is being constructed by the Rice Construction Company both concerns of Amarillo, Texas.

There are three stories and a basement to the building, two district court rooms to care for the two courts that are now established here, a County Court room, County Industrial Agent's office, and a ladies rest room, besides office space for all the County officials. While the building is constructed throughout on simple lines, still one of the distinctive features is the ornate beauty of its finished appearance, and the flower conservatory at the landing of the stairway from the first to the second story on the west side of the building will add much to the unique style of this modern temple of justice.

Groesbeck common brick was used extensively in the construction but the outside finish is of rough mud brick and Bedford stone with the shades of color changing from a very dark at the base to a light stone at the top.

The first court house was built in this county soon after its organization in 1846 of four foot cedar boards pegged onto cedar post standing upright and covered with three foot cedar boards and being, as is its present successor, the most pretentious building in the county, it had parquet floors, wherein the greater number of buildings in this section at that time had only dirt floors. This was located at Springfield, the ruins of which now stand near the banks of the Navasota River five miles north of Groesbeck with only a small frame store building operated by a colored man and surrounded by a small colored settlement. This was followed by a small brick building which was burned in about 1870. Most of the records were saved though and were placed in a frame building that had been used for a store. This building was destroyed by fire on October 21, 1872, together with practically all the records of the County. The County was then transferred to Groesbeck where a small wooden building was used for a short while until a brick building could be erected where the present court house now stands. This building was burned in 1891 and the one now in use was built in 1892. The records were saved from destruction in this last fire. Thus Limestone County has learned its court house building by expensive experience and every precaution has been taken in the building of this seventh court house, as was in the one now standing, to build so well that former experiences of loss by fire might not be repeated.

Hammon Steele of this county, son of Alphonso Steele the last survivor of the Battle of San Jacinto, has lived to see all seven of Limestone County's court houses and hopes to be at the formal dedication of the last one when it is completed. He is eighty-five years old and the oldest native born Texan so far as can be learned and is still healthy and active.

The ceremonies at the laying of the corner stone of the new building, which Mr. Steele attended, were appropriate and elaborate but it is planned to hold even greater ceremonies



JAMES V. WADSWORTH

and celebrations when the edifice is completed and ready for occupancy.

LONG DISTANCE ORDER RECEIVED FOR HAT AS ADVERTIZED IN NEWS

The Higdon-McElroy Company recently carried an advertisement on Mon's Hats in The Mexia Daily News.

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PRESIDENTIAL POSSESSION COUNTY CLERK DAY POPULAR IN COUNTY

J. L. Day, County Clerk of Limestone County, was here on business from Groesbeck Friday. Mr. Day is being assured on every hand and by voters in every part of the county that they are going to vote for his re-election. His lead will likely prove many to one, as he has proven to be an efficient officer, courteous to all alike and the tool of no man or clique. These are elements that make friends for any man or woman and besides Mr. Day has only held the office one term and Democrats have long learned the wisdom of keeping an official on the job at least two terms and are going to extend this splendid county clerk the traditional honor.

In speaking of his candidacy, Mr. Day modestly states:

"In announcing my candidacy for a second term as County Clerk I feel that I am only asking for something which has been a custom for many years past.

I promised the people two years ago, if they would elect me, I would do my best to conduct the office on an efficient basis, which should be characteristic of all well regulated offices. This I have done, and I believe every one who has had work sent or brought to this office will agree that my services have been satisfactory, and upon my record I am willing to stand. Since assuming the office of County

Clerk I have never had any division, no one any advantage because of his social or political standing, but believing that all are entitled to a fair and impartial consideration at the hands of a public official, and in this connection I believe that when one is serving in an official capacity that he should not be the special tool of any individuals nor be controlled by any influences which will keep him from giving every one, regardless of race, creed or color a square deal.

I believe in strict enforcement of all the laws by and through the duly Constituted authorities, and I will state that I stand for all that is right, and against all that is wrong, and in any walk of life that I am placed I will continue to fight for those principles which insure a clean government and making our county a fit place in which to live and to rear our children.

The office of County Clerk belongs to the people, who have been very kind to me; they have gently taken me by the hand and honored me in a way I shall never forget, and for these many favors I am very grateful."

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Graves of deceased Knights will be decorated this morning at 8:30 by a committee from the lodge.

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The Mexia Daily News

JOHN W. CAVANER IS GIVEN 99 YEARS IN PENITENTIARY

MEN AND WOMEN IN NEWS OF THE DAY.



Above: W. J. CONNERS & MRS. HARRIET T. UPTON
Below: WARREN S. STONE & CYRIL WALKER

Mrs. Harriet Taylor Upton, of Warren, O., has announced that she resigned as vice-chairman of the Republican National Committee so that she might oppose Congressman John G. Cooper for the Republican nomination in the 19th Ohio district. William J. Conners, 67, millionaire veteran publisher and politician of Buffalo, N. Y., has been secretly married to his third wife, who was Miss Grace J. Hammond, wealthy business woman of St. Petersburg, Fla. Cyril Walker, diminutive English professional of the Englewood, N. J., Golf Club is American open golf champion, having won the title from Bobby Jones, of Atlanta, Ga., by one stroke in the play at Detroit, Mich. In a speech to New York City Warren S. Stone, chief of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, revealed the fact that the 30 labor banks throughout America have resources of \$100,000,000, and that 30 more will be organized almost immediately.

had to pass various mountains and the mass of the Alps between Mount Cenis and the Little Saint Bernard. The distance from the point of the explosion to Milan is 530 kilometers.

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KGW, Portland, Ore., 492.
KHE, Los Angeles, 895.
KPO, San Francisco, 423.
KSL, St. Louis, 846.
KFGG, Los Angeles, 278.
KYW, Chicago, 536.
WAAW, Omaha, 360.
WBAP, Fort Worth, 476.
WBAV, Columbus, Ohio, 890.
WBZ, Springfield, Ill., 337.
WGAE, Pittsburgh, 492.
WWJ, Detroit, 517.
WMAQ, Chicago, 447.5.
WMC, Memphis, 500.
WSB, Atlanta, 429.
WDAF, Kansas City, Mo., 411.
WDAR, Philadelphia, 395.
WFAA, Dallas, 476.
WHAS, Louisville, Ky., 400.
WIP, Philadelphia, 509.
WJAX, Cleveland, Ohio, 890.
WLW, Cincinnati, 303.

By DAISY MAYS

(See Station Calls Above)

Tune In Time—Central Standard Time

June 15, 1934
9 to 10 a. m.
KYW, 9, Central Church services.
WIP, 9, Holy Trinity church service.
WOC, 9, Sacred chimes concert.
WCX, 9:30, Services.
WHAS, 9:37, Organ music.
10 to 11 a. m.
WHAS, 10, Church services.
WLW, 10, Services of the Church of the Covenant.

11 to 12 noon
WBAP, 11 to 12, Services Methodist church.
WSB, 11, First Presbyterian church services.

12 to 1 p. m.
KFI, 12 to 12:45, L. A. Church Federation service.

KYW, 12:30, Studio chapel service.
WOO, 12:30, Bethany Temple services.

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WOAW, 9, Music chapel service.
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WFAA, 9:30 to 11, Iris theatre organ.

10 to 11 p. m.

WBAP, 10 to 11, Ambassadors concert.

11 to 12 midnight

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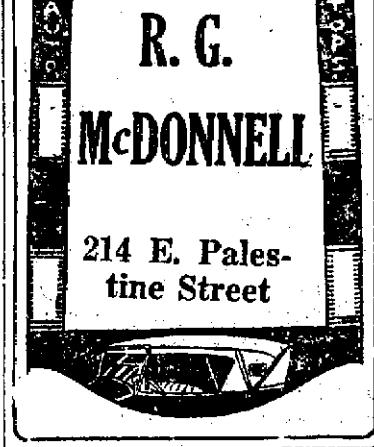
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JURORS SUMMONED MONDAY, JUNE 16th

Jurors summoned for the third week of June, to the 77th District Court, and who are expected to report Monday June 16 are as follows:

J. B. Rasco, Thornton
J. W. Gilliam, Mart.
C. P. Aman, Thornton.
W. J. Waller, Kosse.
F. L. Lina, Big Hill.
J. W. Young, Kosse.
Ronald Baker, Groesbeck.
C. W. Milburn, Tehuacana.
J. E. Ingram, Kosse.
G. G. Bradford, Coolidge.
J. M. Wright, Thornton.
W. D. Hicks, Farrar.
J. R. Gandy, Bighill.
Cloud King, Mexia.
J. E. Richards, Mart.
O. F. Pitts, Mexia.
L. F. Jones, Kosse.
H. L. Spiker.
Claude Johnson, Kosse.
W. L. Gillespie, Coolidge.
Thos. Steele, Mexia.
Mike Yankee, Thornton.
T. S. Beard, Thornton.
W. H. Watson, Farrar.
Roscoe Cook, Mexia.
J. E. McElroy, Coolidge.
L. W. Copper, Mexia.
T. J. Day, Kosse.
E. E. West, Coolidge.
W. D. George, Groesbeck.
Rich Mullins, Bighill.
J. D. Lee, Mexia.
P. O. Shelton, Thornton.
W. W. Jackson, Tehuacana.
Louis B. Kelly, Kosse.

AVIATOR IS WILLING TO CHALLENGE DEATH RAY

(By International News Service) NEW YORK, June 13.—Lieutenant Walter Sutter, United States flyer, has offered to fly in a metal plane and permit Grindell Mathews, the English inventor, to play his "death ray" upon the machine as long as he wishes. In volunteering his services Lieutenant Sutter expressed a desire to test the ray in the interest of science. At the same time he defied it to bring him down from a height of 2,000 feet or even less.

"I don't think the ray has the power to bring an airplane to the ground," he said. "I am willing and anxious to take the chance. I would like to gamble for science and the effect it would have in the prevention of future wars."

LADY ASTOR CALLS GOOD OLD DAYS TALK NONSENSE

(By International News Service) LONDON, June 13.—It's nonsense to talk about the "good old days," Lady Astor says.

"There is a lot of nonsense talked about the good old days," Lady Astor declared. "I want to know who was having a good time in those days. Old Tut-anik-Amen might have been having a good time, but I am convinced the people who were giving him a good time were not correspondingly well off."

"The masses want a better world, and they will get it through ordinary methods if they can, but if you get people who say: 'I am out for myself and the devil take the hindmost,' the devil will take them."

No matter what kind of business a man may be in, it will pay him to advertise.

The Knitted Scarf's the Thing!



THE knitted scarf has taken the world of feminine fashion by storm. No costume is complete without one, and certainly no more bewitching mode—no style more flattering to women was ever devised.

Among the heavy, closely knitted silk scarves, one may find numerous color harmonies that will lend freshening touches to the severity of the tailleur. Bright Roman stripes are in favor, as well as striking combinations of yellow, green, black or red with white. In fact one of the new knitted scarves, of a delicately sheer and lace-like texture alternates row upon row of rosewood, green, wood brown, and orange—an ensemble at once colorful and striking.

One may be as individual as one chooses in the matter of wearing one's scarf. For smart street wear, most scarves are tied stock-fashion, snugly under the chin. But, as summer brings increasing warmth, on the Avenue a growing tendency was noticed to wear the scarf with one end tossed lightly over the shoulder, in the manner sketched.

Monograms are in their hey-day—they ornament sweater, frock and bathing suit impartially. Even the knitted scarf falls prey to the charm of the monogram and flaunts Chinese characters as the final note in knitted smartness.

Canada's Resorts Meet Every Sort of Vacation Demand



AT MUSKOKA LAKE.

Camping, canoeing, fishing, hunting, alpine climbing and "roughing it" appeal to many as ideal ways in which to enjoy their summer vacations, and if they can do these things in Canada, so much the better. There is, however, another host of older, more sedate souls who also desire an annual change of scene and residence, yet who wish to spend their vacation days in surroundings approximating the comforts of home. These, Canada can also take care of.

St. Andrews-by-the-Sea is one of the most attractive North Atlantic coast resorts. This New Brunswick village boasts a fine hotel, the Algonquin, a huge structure facing the sea on three sides. Fine golf courses, that for excellence vie with those of St. Andrews in Scotland; boating and bathing in Passamaquoddy Bay; tennis and bowl-

ing on the green; motoring or driving to many interesting points over fine roads that often run for miles through deep woods, are delights that appeal to those who visit St. Andrews summer after summer.

Just over the Vermont border in Quebec, 58 miles from Montreal, are two lovely lakes, Magog and Memphremagog, and the little village of Magog which offers a delightful retreat in the Hermitage Country Club Inn for seeking after health, rest and mild exercise. The Owl's Head and Mt. Orford afford not too strenuous climbing, while boating and bathing are the chief pastimes.

Sixty miles northwest of Montreal lies the pretty Laurentian Mountains' resort of Val Morn with its comfortable Pinehurst Inn and cottages beside Lake Raymond. About three miles back from the railway by a wild, winding, wood-

road, is hidden a delightful resort for those who enjoy a half-home, half-country club life. The big Highland Farms Inn hangs over a trout lake from which rises a young mountain in the shape of a huge sugar loaf. The broad windows of the living-room library look right down into the water. Trails with rustic bridges across intervening ravines, invite to rambles. Tennis and mountain climbing are more strenuous joys, while motors and horses are available for driving about the interesting country. A garden provides fresh fruit and vegetables, and the Inn dairy supplies plenty of milk and cream.

Oak Orchard Lodge on Upper Buckhorn Lake, one of Kawartha Lakes-chain in Ontario, is a revelation in luxury in the wilds; private baths, brass beds and oriental rugs are found indoors, while running water and electricity are tent adjuncts. It is easily reached from Toronto via Bobcaygeon.

Orchard Point Inn, near Orillia, is another charming, rustic summer hotel with long piazzas and bowling greens. Boating and bathing and fishing in 35-mile long Lake Simcoe are among its attractions.

there are unknown differences that prevent the survival of the transplanted arteries."

Reported successes were ascribed to the fact that often the grafted organs "seemed to take." But they suddenly disappear, in a few weeks at most, he said.

But Dr. Cole held out some hope along with his "crepe hanging." The hope is "plastic surgery."

"With it a hideous deformity may be transformed into a scarcely noticeable disfigurement," he declared.

The "secrets" of school girls and the wrestling bouts of little boys cause the spread of serious epidem-

DEATH IN COSMETICS: NO HELP FOR HUMANS FROM MONKEY GLANDS

CHICAGO, June 13.—If American girls want to be pretty and healthy they must shun rouge, lip-sticks and mascara on their eye-lashes, declares Dr. H. N. Cole, Cleveland, to the American Medical Association here today.

That bit of advice was not the only woeful matter discussed at the radical convention today. "Monkey Glands" rejuvenation is a myth, like the fairy tale fountain of youth, according to Dr. Clarence A. McWilliams, prominent New York surgeon.

"The use of cosmetics has become unfortunately, more and more common," Dr. Cole said. "What was once considered poor form has now become the mode with women. Most women paint, all women use powders of different types. The average woman uses at least some of the long list of cosmetics. Yet many of these women are unaware of the danger they are running by such habits."

Dr. Cole outlined the dangers. "In the first place there is the pure mechanical obstruction by creams, powders and rouges on the face. The pores in our skin were intended by nature to serve as lubricating and excretory ducts. If these are constantly closed off, it will injure the skin."

The danger of harmful chemical action from cosmetics is great, Dr. Cole continued.

Lead in Cosmetics

"The most common offender in cosmetics is lead," he said. "It causes the well-known lead poisoning. This disease results in swelling and inflammation of the affected parts. It brings severe internal pains, intox-

ication, and sometimes death. And there are many more harmful materials in the various popular cosmetics."

Not even the husband who dutifully rubs tonic into his hair to please his wife is safe, according to the doctor. The tonic may contain carbolic acid, he said, citing a case in which said tonic containing carbolic acid caused a long illness.

"The American Medical Association reports that in their analysis of blenches and freckle lotions they have found bichloride of mercury in solution as high as 1 to 200 and 28.2 to 1,000," he said.

The amounts of money American women spend on cosmetics are enormous, according to the doctor.

"In 1919 American women spent \$205,000,000 in the useless and often harmful quest for beauty via the cosmetic path," he pointed out. "In 1921 manufacturers put out \$75,000,000 more of cosmetics than they did in 1919."

And grandpas are likely to get in trouble if they dye their whiskers, he added.

Decrees Monkey Glands

Rejuvenation by monkey glands, or by any other kind of glands was officially branded as a myth by Dr. McWilliams.

He cited numerous instances in which such operations were tried and declared that the uniform result was disappearance of the grafted tissues.

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ies, Dr. William F. Resner, assistant commissioner of public health, Minneapolis, told the physicians.

"If two boys want to talk, they run to each other, and when only a foot apart, shout into each other's faces," he explained. "Girls of grammar school age have their arms around each other, and their faces in close contact more often than otherwise. The girls tell their secrets in close-up whispers. And so the germs spread. Parents should teach their children at an early age to avoid the breath of others, as they would avoid a hot stove, or anything else that might kill them."

SHAKESPEARE'S STREAM IS RIVER OF DEATH NOW

(By International News Service)

LONDON, June 13.—The River Avon, beloved of Shakespeare and immortalized in his writings, has become a river of death. It still flows gently between wooded banks and through peaceful meadows, but it has become a martyr to the industrial development of England.

Pollution of the river by sewage from the industrial city of Coventry is responsible for what was once one of the most delightful streams in England becoming an evil-smelling river.

At one time the Avon was a favorite

spot for anglers and teemed with fish. For more than two years no fish have been caught. Where water lilies used to bloom in profusion there are no flowers now. Boughs of trees that have leaned down to touch the water have died.

Efforts are being made to induce the city of Coventry to make other arrangements for its sewage disposal.

Loyalty to those who are loyal will work reciprocal prosperity.

It is easier to get people to take your advice than it is to get them to use it.



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Forget summer discomfort—and provide yourself with one of these Electric Fans. When there isn't a breath of air stirring, what a relief they bring to household or office.

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Convenient terms will be arranged.

A car load of Pianos and Player Pianos will be received this week.

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ELEVEN BASE BALL
MEN GIVEN THEIR
LETTERS BY POTEET

Eleven members of the High School Black Cat baseball squad were given letters Thursday by Coach E. H. Poteet. Those who received letters had played at least 27 innings and were: W. B. Kendrick, Robert Storey, Robert Wallace, Wayne Lucas, Wayne Thompson, Jim Karner, Doyle Parkinson, Carlos Clover, Barnett Treadway, Loy (Dutch) Cox, and Rollin Maxwell.

Coach Poteet also announced that arrangement for the football camp to be conducted about two weeks before school starts were being made and from all indications there will be a large number of men attending it.

SPORT SPARKS

By LES CONKLIN
International News Service Staff
Correspondent.

Baseball's red letter day this year was June 4. On that astounding afternoon Red Sox scrambled into first place and Athletics climbed out of cellar.

Like the shot heard round the world, Boston's rise to first place was memorable event. Only said feature was that Paul Revere wasn't there to spread the news to embattled Buck Bay fans on village green waiting for the sporting editions of Dayton papers.

Athletics, after pulling a Houdini to get out of last place, appear to be on the road to recovery and large gate receipts. Like Horatio Alger's heroes and the price of Scotch they are bound to rise.

Boxing public changes opinions quicker than mother-in-law getting first look at a new son-in-law's bank book. On Carpenter's first trip to this country he was acclaimed as a war hero and the only boxer brave enough to shoulder a musket. After Gibbons' imbroglio temperamental fans turned on Georges as if he was poor relative on annual visit.

A champion is always a shifty boxer because he gets that way from dodging matches with dangerous title contenders.

A Baseball Epitaph
Let's toll the bell for Slugger Cy.
He let a third called strike go by.

WATCHING THE SCORE BOARD
Yesterday's hero—Eddie Roush who singled in the tenth with the bases full, allowing the Reds to beat the Giants 4 to 1.

The Cubs clambered into first place by a 9 to 1 victory over the Braves while the page setting Giants took a tanning from Cincinnati.

While weakened in the 8th and 9th, put over an 8 to 3 victory against the Indians. The Red Sox are tied with the Yanks for first place.

A seventh inning rally allowed the Athletics to beat the White Sox 7 to 6.

With Ruth at Bat
First inning—Flied out.
Third inning—Purposely walked.
Fifth inning—Walked.
Seventh inning—Grounded out.
Ninth inning—Fouled out.

Why will people go into society to get bored when it can be done just as well at home?

URUGUAY BEATS UNITED STATES



URUGUAY BEATS U.S.

The clever dribbling and passing of the ball by the seasoned Uruguayan soccer players far outclassed the American efforts during the soccer game in which Uruguay eliminated the United States from the Olympic play by 3 to 0. The game was played at Paris.

ROTARY KNOT HOLE CLUB COMMITTEE
ENCOURAGES SUNDAY SCHOOL ATTEND-
ANCE AND HELPS BOYS GO TO BALL GAMES

Val Horn, of the Knot Hole Boys' Committee of the Mexia Rotary club, announces that the club is ready to carry on its program as conducted a part of last year, whereby the boys of Mexia may attend the Gusher baseball games for a nominal sum.

He has membership cards now ready which may be secured by any boy on application. The cards entitle each holder to admittance into the games for ten cents.

The cards read: "Membership Card, auspices of Mexia Rotary club. This is to certify that (name of holder) attends Sunday School and is a member in good standing, entitled to the privileges of

the club."

This is signed by the teacher of the Sunday School class of which the bearer is a member.

The card is non transferable and will be revoked on failure to comply with this obligation.

This ticket entitles the holder to admission to all games, except opening day, July 4th, other holidays, double headers and Sundays.

The obligation is that the bearer will attend Sunday School every Sunday, except in case of sickness, will not use curse words or other bad language and will lead a clean life and will always be a rooter for the Mexia Baseball club."

DAYTON PREPARES FOR AIR CONTEST

DAYTON, O.—Arrangements are well under way here for the annual International Pulitzer air races, to be staged at the Wilbur Wright field in October.

Several hundred airplanes, capable of going at a speed of 250 miles an hour, will compete for prizes aggregating \$50,000.

All highways and streets between Dayton and the field are being paved and 800 regular soldiers from Jefferson barracks will act as special patrol during the events. Dayton business men have subscribed \$250,000 for the initial expenses of the races.

Thousands of motorists from adjoining states are expected and a plot of 20 acres near the field has been set aside for parking space.

Nearly every state in union will be represented in the races, as well as nearly every European nation. Belgium has promised to send two ships, and England probably will do likewise. Sadi Leconte, the fastest flyer in France, and Brack Papa of Italy have signified their intention of competing.

The army air service will be represented by the two Curtiss racers which competed last year. They have been equipped with 500 horsepower motors, replacing the 400 horsepower motors used in the 1923 race.

The pilots appointed to maneuver

represented by a new speed model.

The Barling bomber, the biggest ship in the world (is on the program for a series of spectacular flights. Lieutenant Harold R. Harris will be at the stick.

The Pulitzer race will be the main event of the meet, which last three days, beginning October 2. There are ten or twelve other events, including one for small planes, such as those driven by gasoline engines, capable of a long distance flight on a single gallon of gasoline.

For the amateur builders there are six or seven prizes. In addition to the various races, the Shenandoah and a flock of balloons, observation and other balloons will be here in a display of lighter than air machines.

Each evening there will be night flying by illuminated planes.

There has been some concern over the difficulty of housing the hundreds of planes expected to enter the races. Wilbur Wright Field can accommodate about 112, McCook Field can accommodate about 125 and two private fields about 50 each, but many will not be under roof during the races, it is said.

Too Late to Classify

FOR SALE—One Ford Coupe in good condition. See Leonard Tidwell at Tidwell's Grocery and Market, 1332.

FOR RENT—A bungalow. All modern conveniences. 209 Kennedy St. For further information call 185-15K2.

TAKEN UP—Sandy colored hog, weight about 200 pounds. L. A. Wadel, Route 7, Teague Pike. 15D2

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished three room apartment. Private Bath. All modern conveniences. Gray Apartments. Call 501-J Sunday or 171 week days. 15L4

FOR RENT—Two nice, southside, housekeeping rooms, and sleeping porch, adjoining bath, garage. Reasonable. Call 346-W. 15L2

FOR RENT—Nicely and completely furnished two room apartment. Close in and on the pavement. Hot and cold water, gas; lights and water furnished. See Mrs. Mayo at Mrs. Everett's Ready-to-Wear or call at 503 East Main. 15L2

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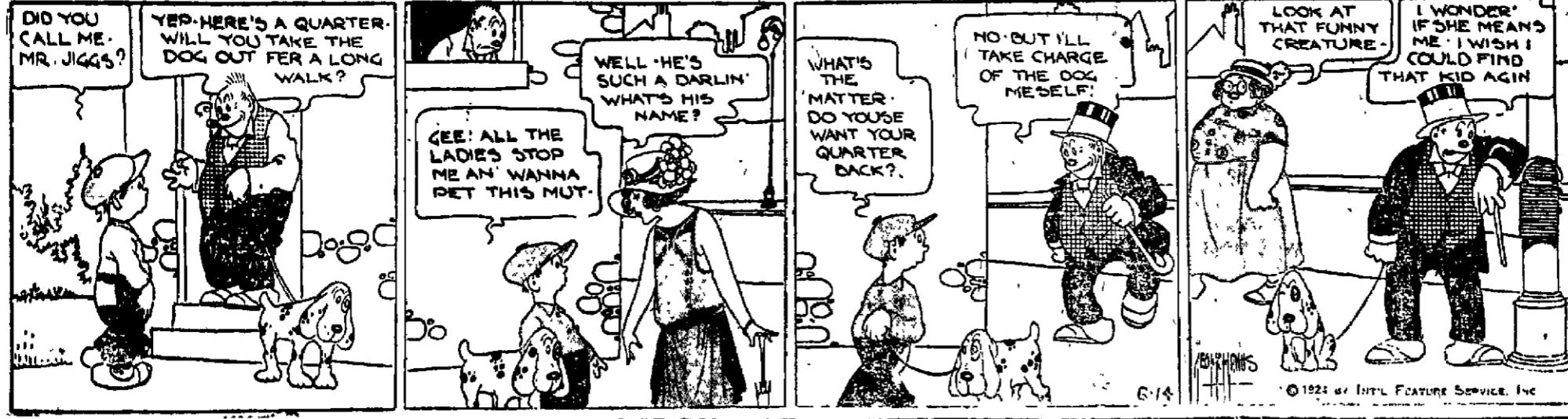
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**CANDIDATES ARE
TAKING CAMPAIGNS
TO PEOPLE DIRECT**

The past week has found many candidates for county and district offices in Limestone and Freestone counties out in the country, seeking the support of new and old friends in behalf of their candidates. Very little campaigning has been done in Mexia. During the next two weeks, however, many of the men and the few women who are in the political race are expected to be heard from. Few speeches have been made so far and nearly all of the campaigning done has been conducted face to face individually or through the mail.

Local News

O. L. Lusk was a Corsicana visitor Thursday.

Miss Christel Alston of Thornton has been a recent visitor to Mexia.

Mrs. Lucile Hancock of Coolidge visited friends of this city this week.

Mrs. J. R. Wallace and Mrs. B. W. Miles of Coolidge were recent visitors here.

George Bell attended Corsicana Rotary last Wednesday. He was on the program for a solo.

A. D. Anderson and Raymond B. Bennett of Dallas visited the past week here and at Teague.

Mrs. H. G. Cochrane and children of this place visited relatives in Coolidge the first of the week.

Mesdames Harriet Stevens, Sweat, Ferry and Hutchinson were Waco visitors last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Paris visited their daughter, Mrs. Roy Brewer, of this city last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Hatch, Allen, Jr., and Alexander Britton of this city were visitors in Wortham last Sunday.

Mrs. Della Cromer has returned to her home here, following a visit with her sister, Mrs. J. R. Dulaney of Coolidge.

Mesdames F. H. and L. V. Clark and Miss Callie Mae Kirgan of Fairfield, were Mexia visitors the early part of the week.

Mrs. Ferry of Weatherford returned to her home Saturday, following a visit in the home of her son, John Sweat.

Judge W. R. Boyd of Teague, candidate for district judge, 77th judicial district, was in the City Saturday and paid this office a pleasant visit.

Judge J. Ross Bell, 87th district, and candidate for re-election, was in Mexia Saturday eve to Grueneck, where he is holding court.

L. M. Kinsel, Miss Marie Kinsel and L. A. Bell, of Dallas, drove down in their car to spend the week-end with Miss Maud De Long.

Prof. J. J. Bates of Prairie Hill, candidate for County Superintendent, spent several days of the past week in Mexia circulating among the voters.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Smith and E. L. are to leave Sunday for New York, Canada and other points which they will visit for the next two months.

Mesdames J. G. Adams, Guy Wilson, Homer Wilson, A. P. Ellis, and A. Schwartz of Thornton attended the Eastern Star school of instruction here Tuesday.

Carlos Clover recently underwent an operation at the Brown Sanitarium for the removal of his tonsils and adenoids. He is out now and rapidly recovering.

Miss Josie Lee Madlax went down to Thornton Saturday to be the house guest of Miss Christel Alston, and will entertain with music and a dramatic selection Monday evening at the play "The Average Man."

Miss Genevieve Hughes, Pearl Goolsby, Elizabeth Jones and Catherine McCall are planning to leave on a two month's tour in the West, going as far towards the Pacific as California and as far Northwest as Canada.

Miss Albertine Mace of this city has been a guest of Miss Lea Mae McCravy at Thornton this past week. Miss McCravy is directing a home talent play "The Average Man" at Thornton. Miss Mace has been requested to take the part of Mrs. Gunn, the village gossip, in this play.

W. B. Landrum returned Friday from Arkansas where he has been for the past two weeks. He left Mrs. Landrum with her mother in Little Rock. They expect to attend the National Democratic convention in New York before Mrs. Landrum returns. Mr. Landrum is also thinking about going himself.

Mr. Charles Croxton, who sings in the First Presbyterian church quartette at Fort Worth and assists in

Connecticut's Prettiest
Bud Elopement Weds.



Mrs. THOMAS LEAMAN, JR.

Two weeks ago, before a jazz dance at the Norwalk, Conn., Country Club, she was 16 and Miss Julia Hoyt, but today she is Mrs. Thomas Leaman, Jr., and her husband, age twenty, will go to work as a ship builder rather than start to college. She is the daughter-in-law of Thomas Leaman, marine architect and yachtsman.

revivals will lead the singing at the Revival which is to begin Sunday at the Central Presbyterian church of this city. Mr. Croxton desires a large choir. People of other churches in the city and community are invited to assist in the singing.

Little Miss Elizabeth Stevens entertained a large number of her little friends Saturday afternoon. They had a big time playing on the lawn under the big trees at the home of her mother, Mrs. Horace B. Stevens. Cake, ice cream and lemonade were served and all the little folks wished for Elizabeth many more birthdays. She celebrated her sixth birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. John McElroy are to leave Sunday by automobile for Austin, where they will spend a few days and where Mr. McElroy will attend the Texas Retail Dry Goods Mens' Association. Mr. McElroy, manager of the Higdon McElroy Company, is an enthusiastic for conventions that deal with the business in which he is engaged. His house was recently represented at the Clothing Mens' Convention at San Antonio in the person of C. H. Hickerson.

Central Presbyterian Church
"A friendly church."
North McKinney and East Garth-
age streets.

Rev. Victor K. Aubrey, minister.
Sunday School, 9:45 a. m. Bible
classes for all ages.

Morning Service, 11 a. m. Theme:

Following Jesus."

Christian Endeavor, 7 p. m. Topic:

"Memories: A Blessing or a Curse."

Reports from State convention.

Evening Service, 8 p. m. Theme:

"How to Catch Fish."

Monday, 8 p. m. the final Cottage

Prayer Meetings preparatory to the

Revival will be held in each district.

The Topic is "Winning Souls for

Other PeeGee
Products

Pee Gee Re-Nu-Lac

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TO SOME BANKER, PLEASE

Hardy Eubanks, local banker, President of the Rotary club, erstwhile Mexia Golf Champion and interested in most all other civic, social and religious activities is now serving in the capacity of a "match maker" and in this connection is maintaining a matrimonial bureau at the Farmers State Bank. At least that is the impression gaining currency since Friday when he was given a letter by Postmaster Isidore Newman which was addressed "To Some Banker, Please."

The letter speaks for itself, and is given verbatim as follows:

"Blank Town, Texas, June 11, 1924.

Dear Sir:

I am writing you for a little information about a man (Blank) in your city he says he is in the (Blank) business in he is a man of his word an honest man or is he just a big blow and nothing to him he is all most a stranger to me, now Dear sir, please be honest with me as I wish to know something of this man corrector before I promise to join him for life. All information good or bad will be appreciated, pardon me I dont mean to expose you for I am not sending

CONNECTICUT SPENDS 46 MILLIONS FOR HIGHWAYS

HARTFORD, Conn.—Connecticut spent forty-six million dollars building new highways in the last twenty-eight years—the bulk of it the last five years—and now has 1,114 miles of real roads, according to John A. MacDonald, State Highway Commissioner. More than five million dollars was spent in the last year, with overhead expenses less than a quarter million. State officials intend to go ahead with the work until all Connecticut roads are fit for motor-ing.

Wednesday, 8 p. m., First service of the Revival. Dr. L. D. Young of City Temple, Dallas will be here and preach Thursday, 10 a. m. at the Palace Theatre, and each week day morning service thereafter services will be held.

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EUBANKS HEADS CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

MANY LIVES ARE LOST IN CLOUDBURST IN TENNESSEE

STORM DETAILS LACKING SINCE WIRES DOWN

JOHNSON CITY, Tenn., June 14.—Cloud bursts near Hampton, Tenn., took heavy tolls in lives and property. According to unconfirmed reports sixteen were killed. All wires are down and details of the storm are lacking.

KANSAS WHEAT IS SAID TO BE FINE

TOPEKA, Kansas, June 14.—Wheat has ripened rapidly during the hot weather of the last few days and cutting will start in Southern Kansas in about a week, according to reports received here. While the crop has deteriorated some from the estimates of May 1, prospects are still that Kansas will have a good yield.

The grain is spotty, promising to well in some places while other fields have a poor stand.

Harvest hands are pouring into the state on every train, most of them are riding the freight trains, or taking advantage of reduced rates by railroads. About 40,000 extra hands from outside the state are needed.

Wages range from \$3.50 to \$4.00 plus board and keep.

Harvesting is already under way in Oklahoma and Texas and many workers are expected to drift north with the crop ripening, the army of workers gathering in numbers.

HOPE HE WON'T ACCEPT UNIVERSITY PRESIDENCY

AUSTIN, June 14.—Dr. Herbert Bolton is returning to California without giving a definite answer on whether he will accept the University presidency. Slim chances of his accepting, it is believed. Dr. Bolton explaining why he told reporters to go to hell when a reporter pressed him for a statement, said he always told reporters this when he had nothing to say.

FORESTERS TO CELEBRATE

CHICAGO (United Press)—National headquarters of the Independent Order of Foresters, which is preparing to celebrate its golden jubilee on June 17 with commemorative exercises throughout the United States and Canada, have been opened in Chicago. Frank E. Hand, who has directed the order's affairs on the Pacific Coast for the last eighteen years, is in charge of the new office.

U. S. USES MUCH OPIUM

CHICAGO.—Opium enough is consumed in the United States annually to keep every man, woman and child in the country under the influence of "ope" for twenty-five consecutive days, according to Dr. Herman N. Bundeson, health commissioner of Chicago, in an address here before the mid-year convention of the National Fraternal Congress.

TO STUDY QUARRYING

BEDFORD, Ind. (United Press)—Students of mining engineering, representing a number of different educational institutions, will go into the stone quarries of the Bedford-Bloomington district this summer to study latest methods of scientific quarrying. Perhaps the largest single group will be the forty mining engineering students from Lehigh University, who will travel 3,000 miles in the United States and Canada this summer, getting first hand instruction in mining industries.

ELKS OBSERVE FLAG DAY IN THE CITY

The Mexia Elks Lodge was decorated with the Stars and Stripes Saturday, the day being flag day throughout Elkhorn. A program was given at the Methodist church by the Elks last night in honor of the occasion.

JAPANESE GIVE FLOWERS TO U. S. FLYERS



JAPAN WELCOMING U. S. FLYERS

Lieutenant Lowell Smith, who heads the American around-the-world flight squadron, received flowers from a little Japanese girl when he landed at Kasumigaura, Japan. Lieutenant Smith had just stepped ashore at the conclusion of the trans-Pacific flight. The flyers are now in China on their way to India, along the coast of the Pacific Ocean.

CAPTAIN FRANK HUGHES PIONEER CITIZEN LAID TO REST HERE SATURDAY

The funeral of Captain Frank Hughes who died Friday morning in Dallas at the home of his daughter, Mrs. R. W. Cosnahan, was held Saturday afternoon from the First Presbyterian church of which he was a member. The services at the church were conducted by Rev. E. H. Hudson, pastor, and Dr. W. S. Red of Austin, a former pastor of the church, which was impressive, and was added to by some sweet music rendered by a picked choir.

At the conclusion of the services at the church the Masons took charge and concluded the services at the grave with their beautiful burial service read by Past Master N. P. Houz in the absence of the Master who could not attend. Following Master Masons, and all old time friends of deceased, acted as pall bearers:

T. A. Griffith, Nelson Forrest, Jessie F. Denning, J. D. Arrington, Dr. T. F. Oates, J. Sandford Smith, Judge W. M. White, C. J. Kauh, F. P. Huchingson.

The John R. Corley Company had charge of the funeral.

Many beautiful floral offerings were placed upon the grave, thus attesting the esteem in which deceased was held by the people among whom he had spent nearly all of his long life.

Captain Hughes was a pioneer citizen.

FLAGS ARE FLYING FOR CHARLIE DAWES

CHICAGO, June 14.—Flags are flying and the folks out in Evanston were out early today to greet "Charlie" Dawes, nominated for vice president on the Republican ticket.

Despite the request of Brigadier General Chas. G. Dawes that the home folks refrain from "fuss and feathers," a huge demonstration was planned. If Dawes does not give them the slip, a parade through Chicago to Dawes' home in Evanston will be staged.

Evanston, a suburb of Chicago is a mass of flags and bunting. The Dawes' home is filled with flowers sent by admirers from all parts of the country. Heaps of congratulatory telegrams are flowing in.

Dawes plans to drive right out to his home and stay there over the weekend. Monday he is expected back at his office to whip his affairs into shape for the campaign.

DR. RED WILL PREACH AT FIRST PRESBYTERIAN

Dr. W. S. Red of Austin, former pastor of the First Presbyterian church, who came to conduct the funeral service of Capt. Frank Hughes will remain over until tonight and will preach at the First Presbyterian church this morning and also this evening, by special invitation of the pastor.

SPECTACULAR CASE BEING TRIED IN MISSOURI COURTS

LIBERTY, Mo., June 14.—The battle to break the will of Mrs. Julia Woods Davies, leaving an estate of \$1,000,000 to Captain Harry Zeitun, once an interpreter in a London police court, today revealed a story of spectacular spending by a woman in search of adventure.

Witnesses told how Mrs. Davies, seeking thrills in Europe, fell under a "hypnotic influence" of Zeitun. They declared he encouraged her in the use of drugs, to which she had been addicted for years; cajoled the wealthy woman to appoint him as her secretary and then while under the influence of drugs, made a will leaving her entire estate.

George Westlair Davies, an opera singer of St. Louis, the woman's fourth husband, and her two daughters, Miss Ruth Rubey and Mrs. James Kemper of Kansas City brought the suit to have the will broken.

Trustees of the woman's estate said she had an income in excess of \$1,000 a month. Her physician said she was insane from the use of drugs and alcoholics.

The will favoring Zeitun was made in London May 8, 1922 and Mrs. Davies died soon after.

THE WORLD IN TABLOID

consumed in May, exclusive of linens, totaled 413,649 bales, compared with 620,856 bales in May of last year, the Census Bureau reported.

PITTSBURGH, Pa.—Pennsylvania crude oil was reduced 50 cents per barrel, to \$3.25. All other eastern grades were cut 25 cents.

WASHINGTON, June 14.—Cotton

zen of this section, and was always active in politics and other matters for the betterment of his home country. He served several terms as assistant sergeant at arms of the Texas Senate, and had a wide acquaintance among public men. For many years he conducted a cotton yard in Mexia until his health failed him a few years ago, when he retired, and for the past several months has spent his time visiting with his children and grandchildren. His wife preceded him to the grave a few years ago.

Following out of town relatives and friends attended the funeral:

Children

Mrs. Dick Steen of Port Arthur.

Mrs. R. W. Cosnahan of Dallas, and

Mr. Cosnahan.

John H. Ferrell (step son) of Beggs, Okla.

Grand Children.

Frank Steen of Del Rio.

Mrs. E. E. Davis of Harrisburg, Texas.

Misses Ruth and Julia Cosnahan of Dallas.

Waller, Frank, and Patrick Cosnahan of Dallas.

Other Relatives and Friends

A. P. Carter (brother in law) J. G. Carter, Mrs. Carter Sessions, Mrs. Jim Sessions, Miss Lula Rogers, Miss Mattie Sessions, of Kirven.

Jim Payne, of Dew.

Dave Carter, Al Carter, Mrs. Dave Carter, Jim Wynne of Coolidge.

On the evening of "Friday 13th" the Mexia Lions entertained the Lions clubs of Waco and Teague with a feed and a roaring good time at the Hurdleton Hotel. The visiting Lions attended in large and enthusiastic numbers and the "get together" was one of the most successful affairs of the season.

Lion President J. K. Hughes expressed his pleasure at Mexia's being host to so many interested neighbors and introduced Lion Dr. Jackson who welcomed the Waco and Teague Lions.

Lion Tiey of Teague responded with a short speech in which he bespoke the gratitude of the visitors for an invitation to share in one of the activities of the Waco Lions and was decidedly a hit.

Lion Morgan as leader of the day, then took charge and the party moved along in characteristically snappy Lion fashion.

During the dinner the Elks orches-

tra furnished "jazz" music. Lion

President Province of the Waco den

spoke of the importance of every club

sending a representative to the Interna-

tional Convention in Omaha, as

every really live club is planning to

do.

The feature of the evening was the

Minstrel performance by the Waco

Lions. Too much cannot be said in

praise of the howling success it was,

through the laughter and applause

would be ample testimony to the

quality of the jokes, the singing and

the impersonations. It was put over

with the "pep" that characterizes all

the activities of the Waco Lions and

was decidedly a hit. Lion Hughes

voiced the appreciation of the local

club for the obvious enjoyment af-

furnished by the minstrel and cordially

renewed the invitations of the Lions

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U. S. RANKS HIGH
FOR OLYMPIC POLO

By PERCY M. SARGE

(United Press Staff Correspondent)

London, June 13.—It looks like the finals for the Olympic polo championship will be confined to the United States, Argentine and Great Britain. Such is the impression gained from talks with the leading players of these countries, now in England for practice and sharpening-up with a view to triumph at Paris.

British, Argentine and American players are not greatly worried about possible French, Spanish or other opponents. They have their eyes on each other.

Jack Nelson, Argentina's brilliant captain, is quietly confident of beating England—if Argentina meets them—but is not quite sure about America.

The reason that Nelson is doubtful about America is that there is something of an "if" about Argentina and Great Britain. There is apparently none about the United States team.

The present Argentine team is of an experimental character, as the members had not, prior to arrival in England played together as a team. As regards ponies, no fears are entertained, for Jack Nelson told me that his string of 33 animals is far superior to those brought over for the matches with England last year.

As regards individual players, Nelson is quite satisfied. A Kenny, the Argentine No. 1, is a magnificent player and one of the best amateur jockeys in the southern republic.

Kenny was unable to make the voyage last year and the "Big Four" earned international fame. Unfortunately for Argentina only two of them are left to contest the Olympic championship.

At the last moment David Miles was unable to make the journey and Lacey is barred, under Olympic rules, owing to not having been born in the Argentine—actually he was born in Canada, I believe. Argentina's bad luck will probably prove England's fortune, for Lacey, not wishing to drop out of international polo, has intimated his readiness to accept selection for the British team which will visit America in September to fight for the international cup. His selection is almost a foregone conclusion.

Reverting to the Argentine team, David Miles' absence may not be an insurmountable difficulty, for it necessitates Jack Miles playing No. 3, and Captain Nelson says that is really his proper position. For the important position of "back" the Argentines have Captain Padilla, a player who in early practice matches earned golden opinions here. Captain Nelson plays No. 2. The reserve will be Brooke Naylor.

The United States lineup will be: "Tommy" Hitchcock, of the Aiken Polo Club; Rodman Wanamaker, Bryn Mawr Polo Club; Elmer J. Pooske, Jr., Santa Barbara Polo Club; Frederick Lee, Bryn Mawr Polo Club; reserve, George Moore, Santa Barbara Club.

Hitchcock is recognized as one of the best men playing today. His lightning dashes up the field in the famous Milburn team which won the Westchester Cup from England a couple of years ago are still remembered here with painful admiration.

Rodman Wanamaker is fairly well known here, and is classed as "plus 0" under British rules. I personally think his handicap will be largely increased before this season is ended.

At present, one cannot say that the United States team compares with the "Big Four" which won the Westchester Cup, but they are fine players and well mounted. Hitchcock himself might win any match.

CHICKENS ARISTOCRATIC

AND AMBITIOUS, TOO

SARANAC LAKE, N. Y. (United Press)—Adirondack hens lead the world in production and style. Daniel Lamia, residing in the northern section of the county, has a Plymouth Rock hen that rejoices in the name of Cissy. So proud is the hen of her numerous eggs that each is marked with a well defined "C" in a sort of old English.

L. B. Branch of Keene, had a little hen just yearning to become a mother. He put her on fourteen eggs and told her to get busy. She did. She hatched fifteen chicks.

Mrs. Rome Rust was a Dallas visitor Wednesday, returning by way of Richland where Mr. Rust has been engaged in the oil field recently.

Miss Francis Corley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John R. Corley, who has been attending Southern Methodist University at Dallas, has returned to her home here for the summer.

H. O. Tatum of Wortham, alternately delegate to the National Democratic Convention from this District, was in Mexia Saturday. He does not think he will be able to attend the big convention, but as he begins to receive a mass of mail in regard to the affair, he finds his interest in the meeting constantly increasing.

W. H. Keeling, who has been serving as ticket clerk here for the Southern Pacific for several months has been transferred to El Paso and left Saturday for his new station. E. T. Lucas is temporarily filling the place left vacant by Mr. Keeling's transfer. The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Keeling here wish them much success and happiness in their new home.



Pedro de Cordoba, Gareth Hughes and Alma Rubens
in a Cosmopolitan Production.
"ENEMIES OF WOMEN".

Coming to the National Theatre Tomorrow.

ST. MARY'S WONDERFUL GROWTH RELATED AT BANQUET GIVEN REV. JOSEPH KELLEY, PASTOR

St. Mary's Rectory was the scene Thursday evening of a banquet tendered to Rev. Joseph Kelley, pastor of the local Catholic church, the occasion being the fifth anniversary of his elevation to the priesthood, half of which period being the time spent with the Mexia church.

Miss Catherine McGrail arranged the evening of entertainment, which was participated in by many friends of the honoree. A sumptuous banquet prepared by the ladies of the church, followed by after dinner speeches, music and readings featured the unusually brilliant affair.

Rev. C. E. Byrne, Bishop of Galveston, Father Heckman of Waco, and Messrs. McGrail and Felz, local patriarchs of the Catholic church of this city were honor guests of the occasion, and who joined by presence or by speech in paying their respects to Rev. Kelley.

Others present were David Murphy, who served as toastmaster, J. Sandford Smith, J. K. Hughes, Jack Lanning, Dr. Lemire Metcalf, John Maldox, R. B. Mosley, John Corley, Jr., E. Nussbaum, F. P. Hutchinson, Gray Forrest, Jim Prickett, W. G. Banks, E. L. Smith, W. B. Kendrick, and A. Garland Adair of The News.

Mr. Murphy stated the purpose of the banquet which was to commemorate the fifth anniversary of Father Kelley's rise to the priesthood and to congratulate him upon his noteworthy achievements while in Mexia.

He asked the Bishop, Rt. Rev. Byrne to speak first and to tell of whatever shortcomings he knew to exist in Rev. Kelley. Rt. Rev. Byrne responded in his own earnest way, saying among other things that Father Kelley was one of his own products and that he was very proud of him and of his record. He stated that it was unusual to witness a banquet given to one so young in years and so young in the church.

The Catholic church is so old, its history goes back so far in the centuries, that the custom generally observed is not to honor a pastor until he has served about a half a century," said Rt. Rev. Byrne. The speaker said that he had seen 22 young men under his ministry in recent years who had entered the priesthood, Rev. Kelley being one of them. He was glad to know that he had made good among the non-Catholic citizens of the community who had assisted materially in bringing about the achievements and growth of the local church. It was his hope, he said, that Rev. Kelley would not view the occasion in any other but the spirit of humility. He also paid a tribute to the women who had done the biggest part of the work in building the Mexia property up to its present value.

Father Heckman also was introduced and spoke in humorous fashion, concluding by sharing in the words of commendation for Father Kelley. He said that he preached the funeral of a priest in Waco not long ago and an old fashioned negro of the Baptist faith was present and heard the sermon. He later asked her how she liked his sermon.

She said: "It was simply fine, you're a de fust white man I ever seen who could preach like a nigger." He said the occasion reminded him of that gathering only that the nice things then said was for the dead, while those spoken on this occasion were for the living. He also told another joke, saying that Father Kelley, not long ago was in the President Sanitarium at Waco. While under the influence of an anesthetic the nurse pulled the blind down. Later when he became conscious, he asked if it was night or day. To

by opening wider the field of service by which all might be benefited.

MISS DESENBERG ENTERTAINS

Miss Corinne Desenberg entertained the Thursday Luncheon club Thursday of this past week. A three course luncheon was served to the club members. Several guests were present, including Mrs. John Poindexter of Ardmore, Mesdames Sam Cox, J. W. Lanning, Georgia Bergeron and Misses Gertrude Newman and Shelley Harper. Mrs. Poindexter was awarded the guest prize and Mrs. Val Horn received the prize for the highest score.

MRS COOK ENTERTAINS

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Patterson's Column



A VISITOR to my imitation

OFFICE TODAY gently ragged

ME AND seemed greatly surprised

WHEN HE saw on my desk a

BIBLE A dictionary and Wells

"OUTLINE OF History"

IT LOOKED funny to him that

A FELLOW as he put it with

OVER HALF his life already

LIVED WOULD burden himself

WTH HEAVY literature

HAD HE looked further at my

HOME IN my book case and on

SHELVES AND in boxes he would

HAVE FOUND also Gibbons

"DECLINE AND Fall of the

ROMAN EMPIRE" and other

HISTORICAL WORKS of ancient

MEDIEVAL AND modern times

AS WELL as Adams' Smiths

AND HENRY George's

WORKS ON political economy

AND THE philosophical works

OF THE ancients as well as

THOSE OF our own Emerson and

OTHERS

HE WOULD have found

BIOGRAPHIES AND looking

FURTHER WOULD have

DISCOVERED DICKENS and

SCOTT, AND THACKERY

AND SHAKESPEARE the two

BROWNING'S AND Byron and

LONGFELLOW and POE and

KIPLING AND Riley on down

TO EDGAR Guest Owen Friend

WATKINS AND Ben B. Hunt

I HAVE read a lot and read a

LOT STILL but try to read no

ROT FOR life is too short for

THAT

MY DEAR old mother was an

EDUCATED LADY and died with a

BOOK IN her hands

ON HER knees I learned my

LETTERS FROM the works of

GREAT WRITERS and omnivorous

READING HAS taught me much

AND I can never be lonesome

LOTS OF it at moderate

PRICES—I thank you.

AND THEY are my friends and

WHEN I feel in need of

SPIRITUAL HELP I have the

BIBLE AT hand. It is in a mood

FOR POETRY I have many

VOLUMES FOR humor I have

TWAIN AND HOLMES and even

BILL NYE if satire is wanted there

ARE CHESTERFIELD'S letters

IF HEAVY stuff upon topics

Sunday, June 15, 1924

THE MEXIA DAILY NEWS

**MRS. HICKMAN
ENTERTAINS AN
ALL DAY PARTY**

A most enjoyable affair recently given was an "all day" party of the "13" Sewing Club at the home of Mrs. Rush Hickman. Each member of the club brings an appetizing dish for their "all day" affair, the consequent menu being that of a dinner of choice and substantial proportions. Mrs. Hickman's home was bright and fragrant with the various flowers of spring, the dining table presenting a charming picture with its dress of exquisite linen, sparkle of China and silver and its center piece of jessamines.

Broiled spring chicken, rice, gravy new English peas, beans and potatoes with ham bone, tomatoe and lettuce salad, strawberry preserves, chow chow, pickled beets, ice tea, ice cream and angel food cake, were hugely enjoyed by all.

Shortly after dinner when all were busily engaged with their sewing, a most unusual type of peddler came to the door and upon being admitted to the house displayed various articles, lace, hose, pins, etc. The "dago" brogue of the peddler, her seriousness and perfect good disguise, did not readily lead to her being recognized as the charming hostess of the day.

Another clever plan of the hostess for entertaining her guests was on original contest called "Know Each Other." Where the answer to the questions are the names of the members of the club.

"Know Each Other"

1. A flower (Blossom) and what do we get hot? (Sweatt.)

2. A place where poppies grow, a letter (Francis) and a person of nobility (King.)

3. Part of an old song (Nila) what do we do when we do wrong and the name of a girl (Sinclair.)

4. One of the months (May) and one who makes and tends a garden (Gardiner.)

5. The sound of a letter—Miss Kennedy's brother's name (Elen) a hole, and a grown boy (Pittman.)

6. Her first is the name of a boy and girl (Leila.) What you do when you settle an account and 2,000 lbs. (Peyton.)

7. A boy's name—what some people call their mother (Alma) and a servant (Cook.)

8. The way some people cut the neck of their dress, an epoch of history (Vera) a country jay and a city dude (Hickman.)

9. Her first is a precious stone (Pearl) a millionaire, a letter and a preposition (Goolsby.)

10. A capital letter, past tense of ate (Kate) and a grove of trees (Forest.)

11. A Biblical name (Mary an exclamation, and the name of an old Mexia family (Howard.)

12. An insect, fifth letter of the alphabet, and two letters alike (Bess) a coop (i) two letters of alphabet and a boy (Hutchison.)

13. I can't tell you her first, if I did you'd know her last, but the first letter of her given name is to behold (Clara.) Her last name is the name of a Mexia Banker's boy and two letters that sound like a story when it's concluded (Stevens.)

These thirteen friends enjoy each other and their work very much and especially do they enjoy such a gracious hostess as Mrs. Hickman.

Mrs. Ferry, guest of Mrs. John Sweatt, was an out of town guest.

**W. R. BOYD MAKES
APPEAL FOR VOTES
IN 77TH DISTRICT**

Hon W. R. Boyd of Teague was in Mexia Saturday and issued his formal announcement for District Judge of the 77th Judicial District, comprised of Limestone and Freestone counties. He says:

To the Democratic Voters of Limestone and Freestone Counties:

Sometime ago, I announced my candidacy for Democratic nomination for the office of District Judge of the 77th Judicial District composed of Limestone and Freestone counties. I have resided in Freestone county for 35 years, and have actively engaged in the practice of law continuously for the past 35 years, and feel that such experience well qualifies me for such position.

It would be a pleasure for me to see all of you in person, and personally solicit the support of each, but this will hardly be possible.

I trust that those who do not know me will make a visitation as to both my personal and professional qualifications for this office.

I believe in, and have always stood for the strict enforcement of all our laws; for an economical administration of all our public affairs and for as rapid dispatch of the business of the courts, as is consistent with the rights of litigants.

If elected District Judge, I pledge the giving of all my energies, and the best that is in me to the fulfillment of the duties of that office.

I will make an effort to see each and all of you in person at some time prior to the election. And in the meantime I court from each and all a full investigation of myself, and trust that you will favor me with your vote and active influence.

W. R. BOYD.

Bill, Lewis and Mary Jane Schutts, of Fort Worth, are visiting their aunt, Mrs. G. A. Lyell and other relatives.

**FORMER PASTOR OF
MEXIA CHURCH IS
VISITOR WEDNESDAY**

money collected for Armenia reaches the people of that destitute and stricken land.

Dr. Laslette will leave soon for California where he will supply for speak at Bryan soon after his return.

Rev. F. C. Laslette, formerly pastor of the First Presbyterian church in Mexia was in town for a few hours Wednesday and Thursday chatting with his many local friends. He is to speak at Teague July 6, also at Lufkin June 22 for Dr. Solomon who is pastor of the Methodist church there. Dr. Solomon is well known in Mexia and is one of the strongest preachers in Texas.

Dr. Laslette tells a wonderful story in connection with his work as State lecturer for the Near East Relief.

285 girl students at the San Marcos Baptist Academy pledged themselves to forgo breakfast every Sunday morning and give its cost to the Near East Relief which means that every Tuesday morning a check for \$25 reaches the State office of the Near East Relief in Dallas, and which also means that 147 homeless waifs are fed, clothed and sheltered every day because of the sacrifice of these San Marcos girls, for 95 per cent of all

Well dressed women insist on getting genuine Burns Sandals—the original—because they have a smart, stylish look, fit comfortably and give complete satisfaction. Made with hand-turned sole and low heel. Sizes 13 to 9, AAA to E.

Dealers in Short Vamp Shoes write for our agency properties.

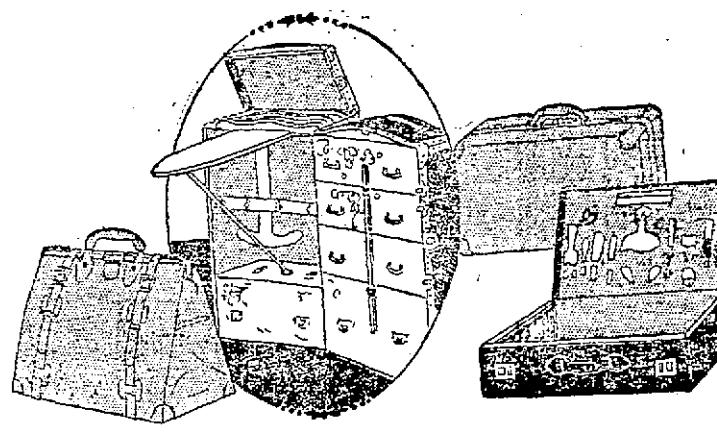
Look for the name "Burns Universal Sandal" stamped on the sole.

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525 So. Broadway



With the Hot Summer Days—come thoughts of Vacation Time. Some are planning to go to the mountains and seashore—some will be contented at sticking around and fishing, playing golf and tennis. But whatever you do you will be wanting some special togs for out-door wear. We are ready to serve you with the wanted things—

Carry A Hartmann Trunk

You find added pleasure in your trip, if you carry your clothes in a Hartmann Trunk. And at the end of your journey you will find your clothes in perfect shape, ready to be worn. All Hartmann Trunks, both the Wardrobe and Packing Trunks, are specially priced for June, and all Suit Cases and Hand Bags are on Special Sale. We have a big assortment of Trunks, Bags and Suit Cases—come in and look them over.

**SWIMMING**

You'll enjoy a duck if you are wearing a Karner Phillips bathing suit.

We are showing some very snappy styles in ladies all-wool and silk and wool suits.

In men's suits the two-piece is the favorite, but we also carry a good line of the one piece suits. Both Suits on special sale this week.

—Always
—Glad
—To Serve
—You

GOLFING

When you go fishing or on that Auto Tour you will be wanting some "rough-it" togs.

Khaki is the favorite for it does not show soil—and you will find here a complete line of khaki for all outing purposes.

For the women, we show the knickers and jackets, stockings and shoes—in the wanted styles.



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FOR MEN.

**KEEP COOL BY WEARING
Lorraine Seersuckers****Sizes**

34

and up

Priced

\$9.95

—When the thermometer is standing at 92 in the shade, isn't it about time you were thinking of Something Cooler to Wear? Yes, you can solve that problem by coming down to our store and being fitted up in one of our SEERSUCKERS. We have them in desired grey and tan stripes.

A few Dark Grey Seersuckers, with two pair of pants, priced

\$14.95

LINEN SUITS AT \$14.95

—Step in and take a look at these all white suits. They're cool as the ocean breeze. We're glad to show you at any time.



Everybody's Wearing Them!

POWDER BLUE SHIRTS

—Probably nothing in the Shirt line in recent years has caught the fancy of the good dressers as these Powder Blue Shirts. Those of the better brands certainly are appealing and go well with any kind of Suit. The pen stripes and checks are exceedingly good and may be obtained with soft collar attached or stiff collars detached. They're priced—

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**"For Mexia, I WILL"**THE HOUSE BY THE SIDE OF THE ROAD
(S. W. Foss)

Let me live in my house by the side of the road,
Where the race of men go by,
The men who are good and the men who are bad,
As good and as bad as I.
I would not sit in the scorners seat,
Nor hurl the cynic's ban,
Let me live in the house by the side of the road,
And be a friend to man.

FLAG DAY

There is no such red in the reddest rose,
There is no such blue in the skies,
There is no such white in the winter snows,
As we see when Old Glory flies.
Prince and potentate know those colors; slave and serf understand their meaning. Tropics and artics alike have seen their gleam.

Anglo Saxon civilization has taught the individual to respect his own rights. American civilization has taught the individual that "I am my brother's keeper." Anglo Saxon civilization has taught the individual that the world is his for his own selfish conquest. American civilization has taught the individual that "Thou shalt love the Lord thy God and thy neighbor as thyself." Anglo Saxon civilization has carried its flag into every land and on every sea and fortified it with fort and garrison. American civilization has implanted its flag in the hearts of all who love Liberty.

"Time's noblest offspring is the last."
To all true Americans the flag of our country has but one meaning:

"Liberty!"

"There is no such thing as an American literature," Americans are told by the critics of the Old World.

They may be right from their own standpoint.

But to those who see with clear eyes, the story of America, the real epic of the mightiest nation on earth today, is told by deeds if not by words. That tale is written on no scrap of fading paper, but it is carved deep and large for all the world to read, carved across three thousand miles of a continent above which flies the dominant flag of the Stars and Stripes which has never felt the heel of a foe. The story which the American flag holds within its gleaming folds is one besides which Iliad and Odyssey pale as nursery tales for babes. Now the tale is written in the etching on the skylines of great cities and over fields of toil where Liberty-loving men and women live by the sweat of their brow. It is the story of the wondrous rise of a nation, from a few huddled huts on a broad prairie or in tangled wild woods, skirting a few miles of the Atlantic's Ocean line, until today it has taken its place in the forefront of the powers of the world. And ever above this inspiring history, has floated majestically that banner born so long ago in the home of Betsy Ross in Philadelphia.

On the 14th of June, 1777, the flag, our flag first saw the light of a new day.

Today the name of that little woman who made the first flag, Betsy Ross, gleams high in letters of gold among the world's immortals.

Since that day, many millions of American mothers have contributed gloriously to the service of their country. Every true American home today is a shrine just like the little brick house at 339 Arch Street, where the flag was born. Made in a home by a woman, it must be protected in homes by her offspring.

Bright with steel and red with blood is the path which the American flag has traveled. Americans must never forget that it was by sacrifice and through hardships that the Stars and Stripes has been handed down to us to love, to honor and to obey, to protect and cherish and to teach our children to keep and honor with a love that leads to supreme unselfish sacrifice and service upon the altar of our home and country.

When you see this flag go by, let all Americans stand with bowed heads as it floats past. Some may deride the expression of all noble sentiments, but do your duty even in the face of fire. Other flags are honored because of their past, but the American flag is to be honored not only because of its history but also because of its promises for tomorrow.

The American flag is the hope of the world.

With the political year now on; with great issues being discussed; with this Flag day bringing its thrilling story to the sons of men, it becomes more apparent than ever that these United States must take her place with the leading nations of the earth in a League of Nations to make the last war truly the last. The ideals of Woodrow Wilson will ultimately prevail, for they were the ideals written in every thread of our star-spangled banner.

THE COMMISSION PLAN

Description, the people elect a commission of five persons who are responsible both for legislation and for the administration of the city. They are elected at large on a non-partisan ticket. One of the Commissioners is named Mayor, usually by his colleagues but his powers are ceremonial only.

The rank and file of city employees may or may not be under civil service.

The five commissioners sitting together pass ordinances and determine administrative policies as a board. The work of the city is organized into five departments, with one commissioner at the head of each department.

Arguments pro. All the affairs of the city are centralized

in the hands of a commission which can be easily watched by the voters. Election at large assures a high type of man in public office. Election of only five makes it possible for the people to know all about all the candidates. A small group can transact business with more facility than a large council. The commission is responsible for both the tax rate and the service.

Arguments Contra. Commission government is five headed administration. Administrative policies therefore are a series of compromises. The head of a department finds himself constantly overruled by the vote of other members. One of two results follows: either friction develops among the members or each commissioner is permitted to go his own way without consideration of other departments or the city as a whole. The city gets five little governments.

The commissioners being elected on a political platform are rarely good executives and scarcely ever experienced in the administration of municipal activities.

Many popular and trustworthy persons who would make good members of a legislative body are not by nature fitted to be executive heads of a city government.

The appropriating power and spending power are in the same hands, which encourages extravagance.

MEXIA'S PARK A JOY FOREVER

If you are in favor of a public playground go by Hughes park the first opportunity and you will see a sight that will please your eye and rejoice your heart. If you are not in favor of the public playground, drive by the same park and see an argument against your belief which will forever set you right on the subject. The park now needs that band shell, seats for the grown-ups and nurses with little children. The equipment already set up gives Mexia the best playground to be found in any city park in Texas. It's all due to the generosity of the Hughes family and to the work of Mesdames R. D. Morgan, John Sweat and George Peyton working as a committee and the help rendered by Mrs. W. W. Barnett, President of the Civic League. Its immediate installation is due to the personal supervision and contribution of time and interest by R. D. Morgan of the city of Mexia. The park now needs the support of the citizenship, so that a permanent caretaker may be employed to look after the valuable property, to keep the park up to a high standard in appearance and to make it most serviceable to this community. Mexia citizens ought to be proud of their park and make it ever better. What has been done so far has been done without expense to the tax payers or private citizens of Mexia, outside of these herein mentioned.

THE EDITORIAL OF THE DAY

SERMONS IN STONE

The Rotarian

There seems to be a rather well-defined analogy between the architecture of our places of business, and the methods by which business is conducted. In pioneer days, practically every American factory was notable for one thing, namely, its utility. There was no particular beauty in the succession of right angles which distinguished the building, and with a few notable exceptions, the business creed was "Business is business—get while the getting's good."

With the softening of the struggle for existence came a new form of business architecture—and a new code. The angular buildings were embellished by a profusion of florid ornaments, more or less inappropriate. Intended to decorate and relieve the harsh angles, these Corinthian touches usually had the opposite effect, for their cornucopias and foliage served but to make the straight lines of the building a shade more evident. So into the business conscience there came an abundance of high-flown theory, good in itself but often grotesque in its application. Overstressed efficiency was paralleled by the Boosters' Club type of advertising, and men who made a fetish of statistics were matched by men who talked glibly of "vision" meaning thereby hallucination rather than perspective. This gingerbread type of architecture still exists, and so does the business mind which tries to reconcile unethical method and ethical protestation.

But there are signs of improvement both in architecture and in business. The new generation, still further relieved from immediate necessity, looks at its critics with a calmly critical eye, and then sends for the architect and landscape gardener. It is no longer sufficient to erect a new building. If your building is to be hailed as a contribution to the city's progress it must be one whose design is not too glaring, and whose dimensions fit into the city design which has supplanted the old haphazard method. So, in our business methods, it is not enough to talk, we must act. No amount of glaring billboards to proclaim our good intentions or the qualities of our products

duct will save us, if not accompanied by a genuine service to the community and a well-defined respect for the rights of employees. There is an Ionic simplicity in business methods as in architecture, something which commands even as it serves, something which gets straight to the point and halts there. We like it just as instinctively as we like a child, and for the same reason—the absolute candor which we sense even before we prove it. As childhood is beautiful in its simplicity, yet no less precious because of its beauty, so clear-cut business ethics combines the eminently practical with the eminently attractive.

In business as in architecture, we should build not alone for the present, but for the future, not alone for our own profit, but for the good of the whole community. History teaches that beauty, honesty, and nobility of purpose, will outlast many buildings and many businesses. It was a wise philosopher who said that the achievements of the ages could be summed up in a few emotions.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Corner Bonham and Milam streets.
Rev. Edward H. Hudson, pastor.
Sunday, June 15, 1924, 11 a. m.
Doxology.

Invocation.
Hymn No. 155.

Scripture.

Prayer.

Hymn No. 306.

Announcements.

Offering.

Sermon: "Bands of Men."

Hymn No. 142.

Benediction.

"Religious Indifference" tonight,

8:15. See picture inside Bulletin.

"Memories" will be the Christian

Endeavor subject this evening at 7

c'clock.

Prayer Meeting will be omitted

Wednesday evening. Dr. Young will

preach at the Central Church.

The Session and Deacons are re-

quested to meet at the close of the

morning service.

I owe to my church my zeal, my

endeavor, my sympathy, my devotion,

my benevolence, my sacrifice, my

loyalty and my prayers. When I

OUTLOOK PROMISING FOR FURTHER DEVELOPMENT IN MEXIA TERRITORY GROESBECK GREATLY ENCOURAGED

along the fault should appeal to development.

Added to these inducements for operations is the further fact that at Kossi the Humphreys Jones well and at Groesbeck the Humphreys Welch No. 2 each were oil wells in the opinion of all who saw them in action and proved the existence of productive sands in both structures. Due to these combinations of circumstances it is understood that at least three wells will be put under way within a month. In addition to these operations are the likelihood of others as indicated by the arrival of two scout geologist crews arriving here this week to work out structures in the Groesbeck territory. The Journal feels that an oil well in its own back yard is nearer at hand than ever before.

EASTERN STAR NOTICE

The Eastern Star will meet Monday evening at 8 o'clock at the Masonic Hall. All members are expected to come and visitors are welcome. This is an important meeting.

Vera S. Denning, W. M.

It is estimated that the value of perishable products saved through cold wave warnings of the United States weather bureau in the Middle West alone amounted to more than \$10,000,000 in the winter of 1922-23.

For the first time since the Thirteenth century, a woman has been appointed glazier of Exeter cathedral in England.

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THE IRON GATE
OUGHT TO SLOW
'EM UP A LITTLE

GAINESVILLE, Texas, June 14.—After two years of effort, John E. McCutcheon, local jeweler, has completed a safety device which he claims will make grade crossing accidents next to impossible. Railroad men who have seen a working model of the invention declared it to be entirely practical and successful.

Two years ago, McCutcheon and his wife had a narrow escape at a grade crossing. He decided then and there to work out a device that would protect motorists at crossings where the view of the track is obstructed.

The invention consists of a series of levers and controls, automatically operated by electricity. At the approach of a train, an electric circuit is completed and a red flag, a red light, and a warning bell start in motion at the crossing. In addition, iron gates are automatically lowered on each side of the crossing to prevent careless drivers disregarding the warnings.

ENGLAND HAS AN
ACTIVE VOLCANO

LONDON (United Press)—England at last has an active volcano. And Londoners and others are cheerfully paying 1 shilling 6 pence to witness it in eruption.

The volcano is one of the exhibits of the New Zealand section of the British Empire Exhibition at Wembley Park, and is an extraordinarily faithful reproduction of the Rotorua Volcano in that Dominion.

Three or four eruptions daily delight spectators, and there are continuous pools of boiling mud, clouds of steam and a geyser hissing never-ending columns into the air.

Demonstrations are given how one can cook food in the boiling pools, boil eggs for breakfast and wash clothes without having to pay a gas bill.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION

THE STATE OF TEXAS,
To the Sheriff or any Constable of
Limestone County—Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon Western Producing & Drilling Company, a corporation, and G. E. Kadane, by making publication of this Citation once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Limestone County, to be held at the Court House thereof, in Groesbeck, Texas, on the first Monday in August, A. D. 1924, the same being the 4th day of August, A. D. 1924, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 10th day of January, A. D. 1924, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said court as No. 4221-B, wherein Cobb-Bennett Hardware Company, a partnership composed of C. J. Cobb and R. E. Bennett, is Plaintiffs, and Western Producing & Drilling Company, a corporation, and G. E. Kadane, are Defendants, and said petition alleging

That Western Producing & Drilling Company, is a corporation organized and existing under and by virtue of the laws of the State of Delaware with a permit to do business in Texas; that said defendants on or about August 1, 1922, executed its note to plaintiffs in the sum of \$812.57, payable at Mexia, Texas, on August 1st, 1923, said note bearing 8% interest from date thereof, and providing in the usual form for 10% attorney's fees; said note signed "Western Producing & Drilling Company, By G. E. Kadane, Vice President;" that at the time of making said note, said G. E. Kadane promised plaintiff that in the event the Western Producing & Drilling Company did not pay same when it became due he personally would pay it and carry out all the provisions contained on the face thereof. That said note has been placed in the hands of attorneys for collection, and plaintiffs has agreed to pay them the 10% stipulated therein as attorney's fees, same being a reasonable amount. That said note is past due and unpaid, and defendants, though often requested, have failed and refused and still fail and refuse to pay same or any part thereof.

Therefore, plaintiff prays that defendants be cited to appear and answer herein, and that upon a trial hereof it have judgement for its debt in the principal sum of \$812.57, interest, attorney's fees, and costs of suit, and for such other and further relief, as it may be justly entitled.

Herein fail not, and have before said Court, at its aforesaid next regular term, this writ with your return thereon showing how you have executed the same.

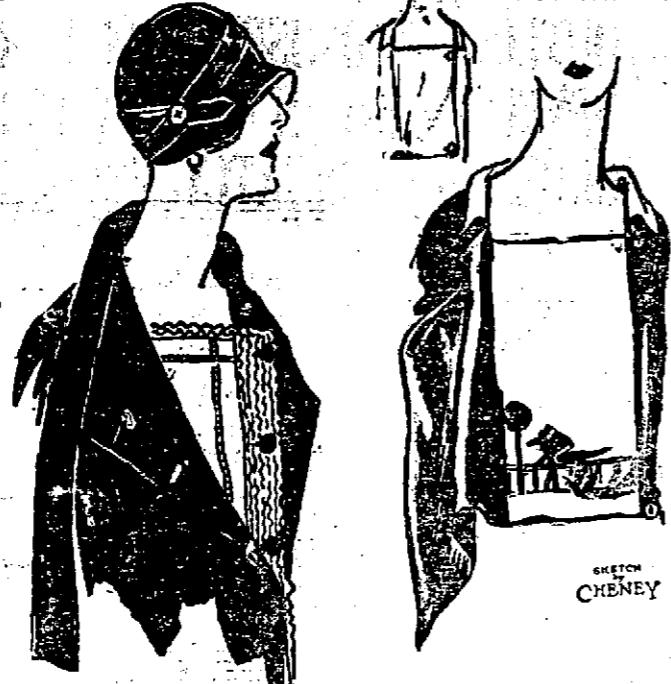
Given under my hand and the Seal of said Court, at office in Groesbeck, Texas, this the 26th day of May, A. D. 1924.

JOHNSON WAKEFIELD,
Clerk District Court,

(Seal) Limestone County,
By Ruby Lawley, Deputy.

(June 15-22-29, July 6.)

SARTORIAL PICTURE GALLERIES



THE smart Parisienne wears on the street conservative costumes, sober in color, and elegant of line, but there is always about them some intriguing note. What a charming idea it is, for instance, to open the plain dark coat frock on the left, of brown Frostkrepe, on such a smart lingerie trimming, with brown buttons, drawn thread work and go-

fered lace. This idea of concealing, as it were, one layer of the costume under another is popular in Paris, according to Henri Creange, fashion authority. Sometimes this leads to extravaganzas, as in the case of the lady on the right who displays on her white satin de Lyon inner vest a scene which apparently depicts the Prince of Wales coming to grief on the hunting field.

TO THINE OWN SELF BE TRUE

By MISS ELISE GIBSON
Salutatorian Mexia High School

By MISS ELISE GIBSON
Class mates, Ladies and Gentlemen:

I have chosen a subject for this evening that comes straight from my heart, it is, being true to oneself. I am no accomplished speaker, but it is quite a pleasure to stand before my class mates of '24 and this vast audience and tell you some of the things that come to my mind. With the knowledge that an ordinary person has, he should feel that his knowledge might help someone who is less fortunate than he in obtaining an education. "Let the whole world know what you know, but do not try to show that you don't know," is a good maxim.

Carlyle also says, "Be true if you would be believed." What a tremendous value that sentence has—One might easily apply it to his everyday life. Do we ever stop to think, are

we being true to ourselves? In being true to oneself, one is being true to others. The three greatest assets to one's character are: Truth, honesty and self sacrifice. When we learn well the motives which prompts us to certain actions then let us be honest in our dealings with others. When we perform an act, let us then turn our eyes inward and see if the act was selfish. If it was, let us be frank enough to let the other fellow see that it was.

Self sacrifice is a lesson which will logically follow the development of truth and honesty. If a person is true with himself and honest with his associates, he will have developed to such an extent that he will find no genuine happiness not inspired by service to others.

I have to live with myself so I want to be fit for myself to know. I don't

NEW CIVIL CASES FILED
IN THE DISTRICT COURTS

Groesbeck Journal
Only three new civil cases were filed in the District Court of Limestone County during the week ending June 10:

4625-B Lewis M. Seay vs. H. C. Roller.

4626-B Ex parte Jas. Ross.

4627-A Sam B. Henderson vs. Sudie May Henderson.

Marriage License.

The following marriage license were issued during the week ending June 10:

Fred Williams and Cora D. Bradshaw.

Roy Carter and Edna Calloway.
Ross Hancock and Louise Broadnax.
Moody Rogers and Ruby Climer.
J. C. Thompson and Emma Winn.
Jno. D. Pitts and Mary Bertielene Southwell.

W. B. Deans and Olga Brice.

Births

Only two births were recorded in the County Clerk's office during the week ending June 10.

To Mr. and Mrs. Thos. H. Collier of Groesbeck a boy on June 8.

To Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Welch of Groesbeck a boy on May 28.

Deaths.

The following deaths in Limestone

county were recorded during the week ending June 10:

Sallie Lee Haynes, 32, of route one Mexia, died May 11.

Infant Haynes of Mexia route one died May 11.

Mrs. Bettie Fritz, 20, died at Mexia May 5.

RUSSIAN PEASANTS SEE
END OF THE WORLD

way."

However, the local rumors differ on how the end is coming. Some declare that there will be an earthquake and that fire out of the earth will destroy the world. The others insist on the flood theory.

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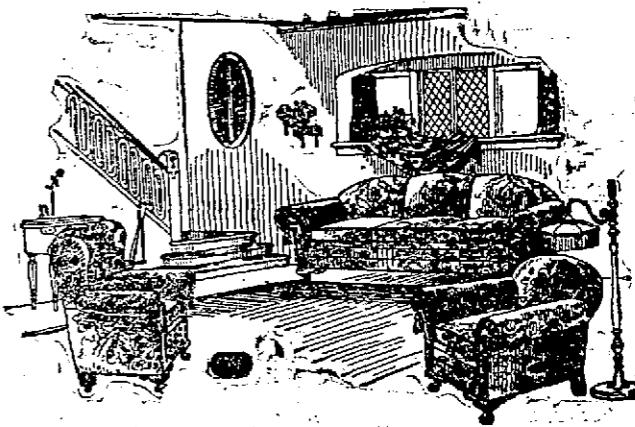
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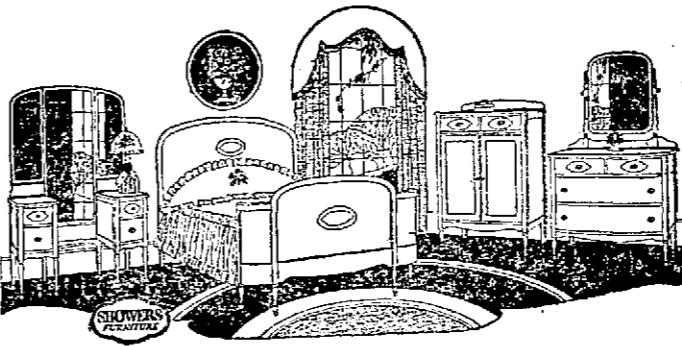
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Automobile Page

COOPER ENTERS STUDEBAKER IN ALTOONA RACES

ALTOONA, Pa., June 15.—Earl Cooper, sensational winner of second place in the recent Indianapolis Speedway classic with his Studebaker Special, has arrived here and gone into training for the second annual International championship race on Flag Day, June 14.

Paul Sheedy, general manager of the Altoona board oval, went all the way to Indianapolis to persuade Mr. Cooper to race for the \$25,000 purse in the big 250-mile meet.

Veteran A Favorite
Cooper's record breaking speed in the 200-lap grind at Indianapolis, when he was pushing his Studebaker Special at 105 miles an hour and taking the turns without slackening his speed, makes him a favorite contender in the race here.

The Altoona track is known as the world's fastest course. Drivers must qualify at a speed of at least 120 miles an hour. The Studebaker Special's pilot did the 500-mile distance in Indianapolis in 5:06.47.18 time, at an average of 97.27 miles an hour. Jimmy Murphy made a record in 1922 when he did it in 94.83 miles an hour.

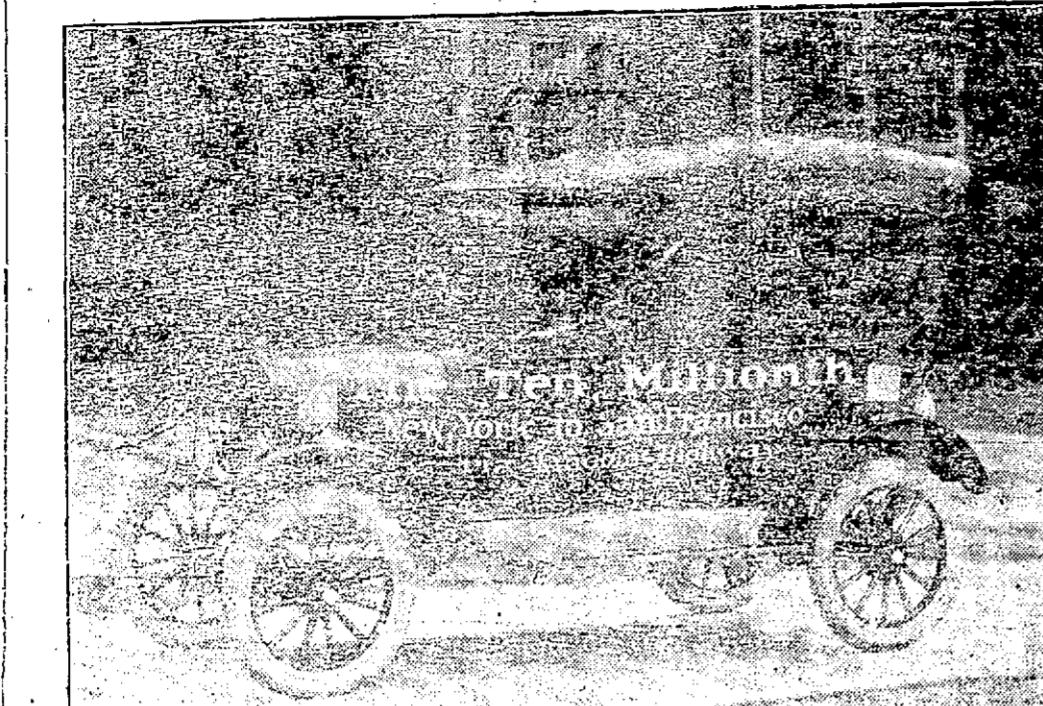
Cooper led most of the race at Indianapolis, jockeying at times with Murphy. It was when he was past the 425-mile post that tire trouble delayed him, and Joe Boyer moved ahead in a Peerless. Even then, the speed merchant, Cooper, finished second with less than a lap behind the winner.

Railroad reporters believe Cooper is due to make 1924 his greatest year in his fourteen years of racing. They point out that his hard luck in 1923 prevented him from being a track sensation. Leading in every race—including the opening of the Altoona track—he snarled into trouble when a few laps from the finish.

Girls Change His Luck

But his luck changed at Indianapolis on Decoration Day. The superstitious ones say it was brought about by the avalanche of letters and good-luck messages sent him by feminine racing fans from all over the country. Cooper sent out a worried S.O.S. for some one to be his "Lady Luck." And nearly 1,000 girls volunteered to inspire him to victory.

All the other racers expect that Cooper, driving at a record pace and leading most of the route, should have crossed the checkered flag. But he did not. Cooper thinks it means a new deal of the cards. He's



Frank Kulick and the Ten Millionth Ford car which he is driving from New York to San Francisco via the Lincoln Highway. Years ago in the days when Ford cars were entered in automobile races, Kulick won fame and broke many records as the driver of Ford racers.

is confident of winning on June 14. "My Studebaker Special emerged from the Indianapolis race in perfect condition," he said today. "It did the 500 miles without missing a beat of the engine. I could have gone into another race with it immediately. I have a feeling that the little car and I are going to make a barrel of money this year."

Cooper Drives Faster

Cooper, say the clockers at the track here, is driving faster than he used to. They say he is "heavy footed" and that his Studebaker Special promises to hang up some new records in automobile racing before the season ends.

If his luck holds out, the veteran racer, it is said, will gain the coveted A. A. A. "Speed King" crown for 1924. He's won it twice before.

Can he do it again?

PETRIFIED EAR MAY BE THAT OF INDIAN CHIEF

TAMANEND, Pa.—No scientific pilgrimages have been started in this direction because of the finding of a petrified human ear in a dam here, but folks in this country and in the world are somewhat agitated by the discovery.

They recall that historians record that in the early part of the eighteenth century the old Indian Chief Tamau, hanged here by early settlers, was minus an ear. In fact, the town was given its present name because Tamau met his end here.

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Germany Sees Better Days

By CARL D. GROAT
(United Press Staff Correspondent)

BERLIN, June 14.—Germany is rapidly recovering from her fall and winter "starvation."

Unemployment is now considerably less than in England, and is rapidly getting down to a pre-war standard. In Berlin, it is now no greater than before the war.

Stability of the rentenmark has made it possible for the cities to get sufficient foods from the country and from abroad. Last fall and winter, the cry of starvation was in part due to poor distribution, partly to the fact that the junkers would not accept the sliding paper mark and partly to the fact that the industrial situation threw many out of work.

There was a certain pinch for a few months, but Germany's wealth did not care for their own as they could have. That is admitted, even by professional child feeders.

Now, that nearly everybody is again at work, the starvation cry is diminishing. It has also grown dimmer since the Dawes report showed

that Germany is intrinsically sound, and can again come to the front if given a brief breathing space and a temporary financial lift.

Child feeding continues in the schools, as there are admittedly many children suffering from a chronic undernourishment. Whether this admirable work can be continued during the vacation period is in question.

But there is no longer the extreme anxiety that was felt last fall. The German is prone to exaggerate his woes, especially since the war, and he saw the winter through extremely dark spectacles.

However, the rentenmark has completely changed the national viewpoint. The housewife can now buy and she can also save.

Moreover, the prospect of a real reparations settlement, even if it brings with it severe burdens, is proving a relief. Most Germans are now saying, "We will again have a chance to work and to save; the Dawes plan will make it possible for us to get out of the mire and to become again self-supporting and self-respecting."

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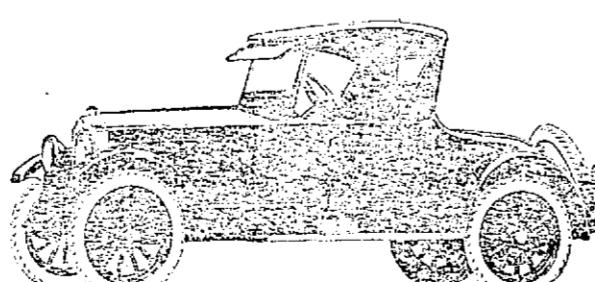
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THIS IS A STUDEBAKER YEAR

POWER & COMFORT

Whole Village Of Americans In One Dwelling

WASHINGTON.—The National Geographic Society's expedition headed by Neil M. Judd, is now working in the ruins of Pueblo Bonito, New Mexico, giant "apartment house" of prehistoric homes. More than 300 rooms have been cleared and many kivas, or circular ceremonial chambers, already have been exposed. The explorations revealed that Pueblo Bonito was a busy village within a single dwelling. When inhabited, it stood four stories high, included some 800 rooms, and sheltered 1200 or more persons.

No written record or hieroglyphic inscription was left by these ancient Americans. But it already is possible to piece together their life story from the evidence of the silent walls of their abandoned rooms and the scattered objects recovered from their deserted dwelling. Their daily activities, their civic organizations, their communal enterprises and their struggles against more warlike tribes can be pictured. It is evident that the Bonitans, who lived in what now is the Chaco Canyon Na-

tional Monument, in northwestern New Mexico, probably had the most pretentious settlement in the southwestern United States in pre-Columbian times.

With the penetration of the Pueblo Bonito ruins, the early history of America has begun to attract world interest—an interest being augmented with the sending of a National Geographic Society Expedition to uncover the great mound of Cuicuilco in the Valley of Mexico, which may be 8000 years old.

THREW CHILD FROM WINDOW

PARIS (United Press)—Irreconcilable because of a belief that her son was not her child, but one substituted for hers at birth two years ago, Mme. Blanche Darriman, 27, threw the child out of a sixth-story window and jumped after it. She was instantly killed. The child died shortly afterwards.

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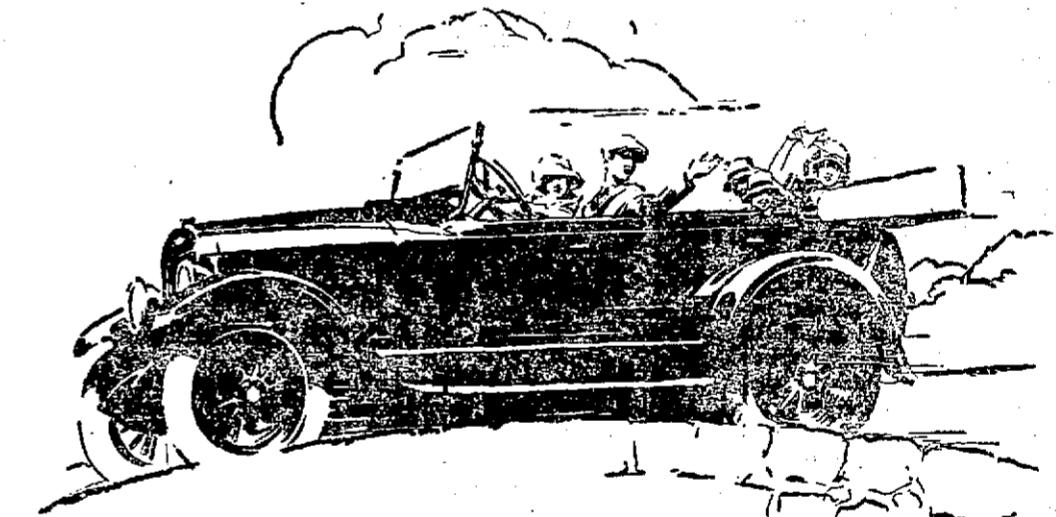
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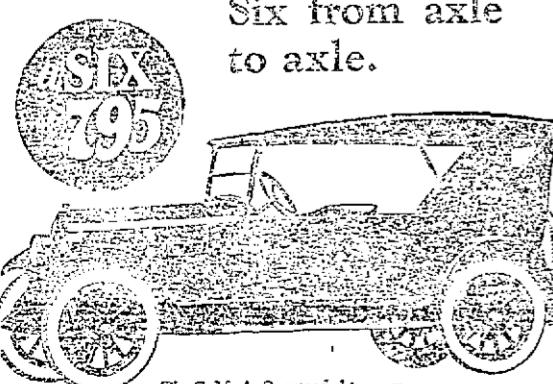
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Local merchants are all beginning to realize the pulling power of the advertising section of the home newspaper, since orders for various articles are constantly coming in from all parts of these United States.

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GOSSIP

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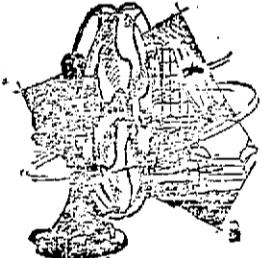
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PRESIDENTIAL POSSIBILITY COUNTY CLERK DAY POPULAR IN COUNTY

J. L. Day, County Clerk of Limestone County, was here on business from Groesbeck Friday. Mr. Day is being assured on every hand and by voters in every part of the county that they are going to vote for his reelection. His lead will likely prove many to one, as he has proven to be an efficient officer, courteous to all alike and the tool of no man or clique. These are elements that make friends for any man or woman and besides Mr. Day has only held the office one term and Democrats have long learned the wisdom of keeping an official on the job at least two terms and are going to extend this splendid county government and making our county the traditional honor.

In speaking of his candidacy, Mr. Day modestly states:

"In announcing my candidacy for a second term as County Clerk I feel that I am only asking for something which has been a custom for many years past.

I promised the people two years ago, if they would elect me, I would do my best to conduct the office on an efficient basis, which should be characteristic of all well regulated offices. This I have done, and I believe every one who has had work sent or brought to this office will agree that my services have been satisfactory, and upon my record I am willing to stand. Since assuming the office of County

Clerk I have treated all alike, giving no one any advantage because of his social or political standing, but believing that all are entitled to a fair and impartial consideration and in this connection I believe that when one is serving in an official capacity that he should not be the special tool of any individuals, nor be controlled by any influences which will keep him from giving every one, regardless of race, creed or color a square deal.

I believe in strict enforcement of all the laws by and through the duly Constituted authorities, and I will state that I stand for all that which is right, and against all that which is wrong, and in any walk of life that I am placed I will continue to fight for those principles which insure a clean government and making our county a fit place in which to live and to rear our children.

The office of County Clerk belongs to the people, who have been very kind to me; they have gently taken me by the hand and honored me in a way I shall never forget, and for these many favors I am very grateful."

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JOHN W. CAVANER IS GIVEN 99 YEARS IN PENITENTIARY

In the 77th district court Thursday morning the jury in the case of John W. Cavaner, on trial since Monday for the murder of his wife in the Ben Hur community last April, returned a verdict of guilty and affixed the punishment at 99 years in the pen.

Cavaner's wife was found dead with her throat cut at the family home on April 21. Cavaner was also found with a big gash in his throat, but he recovered under treatment in the jail where he was placed.

In the trial the defense pleaded insanity, but the jury seems to have thought otherwise and sent him to the pen.

SPOTTING THE SPOTTER

Rob Nichols, the wealthy retired streetcar conductor, in a recent interview, stated that his wonderful financial success was entirely due to his glasses. With them on, he could identify a spotter, a block away.

Made of Glass.

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And it broke—much to her surprise.

Study of the Monocle.

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"We have taken up the subject of molecules," answered the son.

"I hope you will be very attentive and practice constantly," said the mother. "I tried to get your father to wear one, but he could not keep it in his eye."—Columbia Jester.

Proverbs.

Eyes see more than one eye.

What pleases the eye agrees with the ear.

Everything has its sunny side except to the blind.

A blind man cannot lead a blind man.

Do not ask a blind man which way to go.

An ounce of spectacles is better than a pound of glass eyes.

Ignorance breeds disaster. Know your own eyes, an examination gives definite information.

TEST OF SOUND WAVES FAILS TO SHOW SPEED

(By International News Service) MILAN, Italy, June 14.—To test the carrying properties of Waves of sound to a great distance, an experiment on a large scale was made 65 kilometers west from Clermont Farzenda. Ten thousand kilograms of explosives were blown up, at half past seven in the evening. The sound was expected to be heard at Turin at 7:50 p. m., at Milan at 7:55, at Padua at 8:08 p. m. Many persons were prepared to record their impressions.

During the war it was observed that there appeared to exist so-called "zones of silence," in which sounds disappeared. It was hoped that this experiment might throw some light on this subject. However, neither at Milan or Turin was anything heard of the explosion, and another test will be made on the 23rd and 25th of this month.

It is thought that the hour chosen was not quiet enough. There was also a contrary wind, and the sound waves

NOTICE TO CREDITORS THE STATE OF TEXAS County of Limestone TO THE CREDITORS OF COLON PHILLIPS:

You are hereby notified that Colon Phillips, of the County of Limestone, on the 28th day of May A. D. 1924, executed a deed of assignment conveying to the undersigned all of his property for the benefit of such of his creditors as will consent to accept their proportionate share of any estate and discharge him from their respective claims, and that the undersigned accepts said trust, and has duly qualified as required by law.

All creditors consenting to said assignment must, within four (4) months after the publication of this their consent in writing, and within six (6) months from the date of this notice, file their claims, as prescribed by law, with the undersigned, who resides at Mexia, Limestone County, Texas, which is also his Post Office Address.

Witness my hand, this the 31st day of May, A. D. 1924.

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By DAISEY MAYS

(See Station Calls Above)

Tune in Time—Central Standard Time

June 15, 1924

9 to 10 a. m.

KYW, 9, Central Church services.
WIP, 9, Holy Trinity church service.
WOC, 9, Sacred chimes concert.
WCX, 9:30, Services.

WHAS, 9:57, Organ music.

10 to 11 a. m.

WHAS, 10, Church services.
WLW, 10, Services of the Church of the Covenant.

11 to 12 noon

WBAP, 11 to 12, Services Methodist church.
WSB, 11, First Presbyterian church service.

12 to 1 p. m.

KFI, 12 to 12:45, L. A. Church Federation service.
KYW, 12:30, Studio chapel service.
WOO, 12:30, Bethany Temple services.

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ANOTHER FISH STORY.

DALLAS, Texas, June 14.—John Wolfe and J. M. Camp hold the season's record so far for big fish. The two anglers, fishing at Elm Fork, landed five yellow catfish with a total weight of 113 pounds. The largest of the five weighed 36 pounds.

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WOC, 9:30, Palmer orchestra.
WFAA, 9:30 to 11, Iris theatre organ.

10 to 11 p. m.

KEY, 10 to 11, Ambassador hotel concert.

11 to 12 midnight

WBAP, 11 to 12, Popular programs.

WFAA, 11 to 12, Examiner concert.

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JURORS SUMMONED MONDAY, JUNE 16th

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J. B. Rasco, Thornton
J. W. Gilliam, Mart.
C. E. Aman, Thornton
W. J. Waller, Kosse.
F. L. Line, Big Hill.
J. W. Young, Kosse.
Ronald Baker, Groesbeck.
C. W. Milburn, Tehuacana.
J. E. Ingram, Kosse.
G. G. Bradford, Coolidge.
J. M. Wright, Thornton.
W. D. Hicks, Farrar.
J. R. Gandy, Big Hill.
Cloud King, Mexia.
J. E. Richards, Mart.
O. F. Pitts, Mexia.
L. F. Jones, Kosse.
H. L. Spikes.
Claude Johnson, Kosse.
W. L. Gillespie, Coolidge.
Thos. Steele, Mexia.
Mike Yankee, Thornton.
T. S. Beard, Thornton.
W. H. Watson, Farrar.
Roscoe Cook, Mexia.
J. E. McElroy, Coolidge.
L. W. Copper, Mexia.
T. J. Day, Kosse.
E. E. West, Coolidge.
W. D. George, Groesbeck.
Rich Mullins, Big Hill.
J. D. Lee, Mexia.
P. O. Shelton, Thornton.
W. W. Jackson, Tehuacana.
Louis B. Kelly, Kosse.

AVIATOR IS WILLING TO CHALLENGE DEATH RAY

(By International News Service)

NEW YORK, June 13.—Lieutenant Walter Sutter, United States flyer, has offered to fly in a metal plane and permit Grindell Mathews, the English inventor, to play his "death ray" upon the machine as long as he wishes. In volunteering his services Lieutenant Sutter expressed a desire to test the ray in the interest of science. At the same time he defied it to bring him down from a height of 2,000 feet or even less.

"I don't think the ray has the power to bring an airplane to the ground," he said. "I am willing and anxious to take the chance. I would like to gamble for science and the effect it would have in the prevention of future wars."

LADY ASTOR CALLS GOOD OLD DAYS TALK NONSENSE

(By International News Service)

LONDON, June 13.—It's nonsense to talk about the "good old days," Lady Astor says.

"There is a lot of nonsense talked about the good old days," Lady Astor declared. "I want to know who was having a good time in those days. Old Tut-an-kh-Amen might have been having a good time, but I am convinced the people who were giving him a good time were not correspondingly well off."

"The masses want a better world and they will get it through ordinary methods if they can, but if you get people who say: 'I am out for myself and the devil take the hindmost,' the devil will take them."

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THE knitted scarf has taken the world of feminine fashion by storm. No costume is complete without one, and certainly no more bewitching mode—no style more flattering to women was ever devised.

Among the heavy, closely knitted silk scarves, one may find numerous color harmonies that will lend freshening touches to the severity of the tailleur. Bright Roman stripes are in favor, as well as striking combinations of yellow, green, black or red with white. In fact, one of the new knitted scarves, of a delicately sheer and lace-like texture, alternates row upon row of rosewood, green, wood brown, and orange—an ensemble at once colorful and striking.

One may be as individual as one chooses in the matter of wearing one's scarf. For smart street wear, most scarves are tied stock-fashion, snugly under the chin. But, as summer brings increasing warmth, on the Avenue a growing tendency was noticed to wear the scarf with one end tossed lightly over the shoulder, in the manner sketched.

Monograms are in their hey-day—they ornament sweater, frock and bathing suit impartially. Even the knitted scarf falls prey to the charm of the monogram and flaunts Chinese characters as the final note in knitted smartness.

Canada's Resorts Meet Every Sort of Vacation Demand



Camping, canoeing, fishing, hunting, alpine climbing and "roughing it" appeal to many as ideal ways in which to enjoy their summer vacations, and if they can do these things in Canada, so much the better. There is, however, another host of older, more sedate souls, who also desire an annual change of scene and residence, yet who wish to spend their vacation days in surroundings approximating the comforts of home. These Canada can also take care of.

St. Andrews-by-the-Sea is one of the most attractive North Atlantic coast resorts. This New Brunswick village boasts a fine hotel, the Algonquin, a large structure facing the sea on three sides. Fine golf courses, that for excellence vie with those of St. Andrews in Scotland; boating and bathing in Passamaquoddy Bay; tennis and bowl-

ing on the green; motoring or driving to many interesting points over fine roads that often run for miles through deep woods, are delights that appeal to those who visit St. Andrews summer after summer.

Just over the Vermont border in Quebec, 98 miles from Montreal, are two lovely lakes, Magog and Memphremagog, and the little village of Magog which offers a delightful retreat in the Hermitage Country Club Inn for seekers after health, rest and mild exercise. The Owl's Head and Mt. Oxford afford not too strenuous climbing, while boating and bathing are the chief pastimes.

Sixty miles northwest of Montreal lies the pretty Laurentian Mountains' resort of Val Morin with its comfortable Pinehurst Inn and cottages beside Lake Raymond.

About three miles back from the railway by a wild, winding, woods-

there are unknown differences that prevent the survival of the transplanted arteries."

Reported successes were ascribed to the fact that often the grafted organs "seemed to take." But they suddenly disappear, in a few weeks at most, he said.

But Dr. Cole held out some hope along with his "crepe hanging." The hope is "plastic surgery."

"With it a hideous deformity may be transformed into a scarcely noticeable disfigurement," he declared.

The "secrets" of school girls and the wrestling bouts of little boys cause the spread of serious epidem-

DEATH IN COSMETICS. NO HELP FOR HUMANS FROM MONKEY GLANDS

CHICAGO, June 11.—If American girls want to be pretty and healthy they must shun rouge, lip-sticks and mascara on their eye-lashes, declares Dr. H. N. Cole, Cleveland, to the American Medical Association here today.

That bit of advice was not the only woeful matter discussed at the radical convention today. "Monkey Glands" rejuvenation is a myth, like the fairy tale fountain of youth, according to Dr. Clarence A. McWilliams, prominent New York surgeon.

"The use of cosmetics has become unfortunately, more and more common," Dr. Cole said. "What was once considered poor form has now become the mode with women. Most women paint, all women use powders of different types. The average woman uses at least some of the long list of cosmetics. Yet many of these women are unaware of the danger they are running by such habits."

Dr. Cole outlined the dangers.

"In the first place there is the pure mechanical obstruction by creams, powders and rouges on the face. The pores in our skin were intended by nature to serve as lubricating and excretory ducts. If these are constantly closed off, it will injure the skin."

The danger of harmful chemical action from cosmetics is great, Dr. Cole continued.

Lead in Cosmetics

"The most common offender in cosmetics is lead," he said. "It causes the well-known lead poisoning. This disease results in swelling and inflammation of the affected parts. It brings severe internal pains, intox-

ication, and sometimes death. And there are many more harmful materials in the various popular cosmetics."

Not even the husband who dutifully rubs tonic into his hair to please his wife is safe, according to the doctor. The tonic may contain carbolic acid, he said, citing a case in which said tonic containing carbolic acid caused a long illness.

The American Medical Association reports that in their analysis of bleached and freckle lotions they have found bichloride of mercury in solution as high as 1 to 200 and 28.2 to 1,000," he said.

The amounts of money American women spend on cosmetics are enormous, according to the doctor.

"In 1919 American women spent \$205,000,000 in the useless and often harmful quest for beauty via the cosmetic path," he pointed out. "In 1921 manufacturers put out \$75,000,000 more of cosmetics than they did in 1919."

And grandpas are likely to get in trouble if they dye their whiskers, he added.

Decrees Monkey Glands

Rejuvenation by monkey glands, or by any other kind of glands was officially branded as a myth by Dr. McWilliams.

He cited numerous instances in which such operations were tried and declared that the uniform result was disappearance of the grafted tissues.

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ies, Dr. William F. Resner, assistant commissioner of public health, Minneapolis, told the physicians.

"If two boys want to talk, they run to each other, and when only a foot apart, shout into each other's faces," he explained. "Girls of grammar school age have their arms around each other and their faces in close contact more often than otherwise. The girls tell their secrets in close-up whispers. And so the germs spread. Parents should teach their children at an early age to avoid the breath of others, as they would avoid a hot stove, or anything else that might kill them."

SHAKESPEARE'S STREAM IS RIVER OF DEATH NOW

(By International News Service)

LONDON, June 1.—The River Avon, beloved of Shakespeare and immortalized in his writings, has become a river of death. It still flows gently between wooded banks and through peaceful meadows, but it has become a martyr to the industrial development of England.

Pollution of the river by sewage from the industrial city of Coventry is responsible for what was once one of the most delightful streams in England becoming an evil-smelling river.

At one time the Avon was a favorite

resort for anglers and teemed with fish. For more than two years no fish have been caught. Where water lilies used to bloom in profusion there are no flowers now. Boughs of trees that have leaned down to touch the waters have died.

Efforts are being made to induce the city of Coventry to make other arrangements for its sewage disposal.

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BASEBALL
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MEN GIVEN THEIR
LETTERS BY POTEET

Eleven members of the High School Black Cat baseball squad were given letters Thursday by Coach E. H. Poteet. Those who received letters had played at least 27 innings and were: W. B. Kendrick, Robert Storey, Robert Wallace, Wayne Lucas, Wayne Thompson, Jim Karner, Doyle Perkinson, Carlos Clover, Barnett Treadway, Loy (Dutch) Cox, and Rollin Maxwell.

Coach Poteet also announced that arrangement for the football camp to be conducted about two weeks before school starts were being made and from all indications there will be a large number of men attending it.

SPORT SPARKS

By LES CONKLIN
International News Service Staff
Correspondent.

Baseball's red letter day this year was June 4. On that astounding afternoon Red Sox scrambled into first place and Athletics climbed out of cellar.

Like the shot heard round the world, Boston's rise to first place was memorable event. Only said feature was that Paul Revere wasn't there to spread the news to embattled Back Bay fans on village green waiting for the sporting editions of Boston papers.

Athletics, after pulling a Houdini to get out of last place, appear to be on the road to recovery and large gate receipts. Like Horatio Alger's heroes and the price of Scotch they are bound to rise.

Boxing public changes opinions quicker than mother-in-law getting first look at a new son-in-law's bank book. On Carpenter's first trip to this country he was acclaimed as a war hero and the only boxer brave enough to shoulder a musket. After Gibbons' imbroglio temperamental fans turned on Georges as if he was poor relative on annual visit.

A champion is always a shifty boxer because he gets that way from dodging matches with dangerous title contenders.

A Baseball Epitaph
Let's toll the bell for Slugger Co.,
He let a third called strike go by.

WATCHING THE SCORE BOARD
Yesterday's hero—Eddie Roush who singled in the tenth with the bases full, allowing the Reds to beat the Giants 4 to 1.

The Cubs clambered into first place by a 6 to 1 victory over the Braves, while the pace setting Giants took a trimming from Cincinnati.

While weakened in the 8th and Boston put over an 8 to 3 victory against the Indians. The Red Sox are tied with the Yanks for first place.

A seventh inning rally allowed the Athletics to beat the White Sox 7 to 6.

With Ruth at Bat
First inning—Flied out.
Third inning—Purposely walked.
Fifth inning—Walked.
Seventh inning—Grounded out.
Ninth inning—Fouled out.

Why will people go into society to get bored when it can be done just as well at home?

DAILY NEWS SPORT PAGE

URUGUAY BEATS UNITED STATES



URUGUAY BEATS U.S.

The clever dribbling and passing of the ball by the seasoned Uruguayan soccer players far outclassed the American efforts during the soccer game in which Uruguay eliminated the United States from the Olympic play by 3 to 0. The game was played at Paris.

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Val Horn, of the Knot Hole Boys' Committee of the Mexia Rotary club, announces that the club is ready to carry on its program as conducted a part of last year, whereby the boys of Mexia may attend the Gusher baseball games for a nominal sum.

He has membership cards now ready which may be secured by any boy on application. The cards entitle each holder to admittance into the games for ten cents.

The cards read: "Membership Card, auspices of Mexia Rotary club. This is to certify that (name of holder) attends Sunday School and is a member in good standing, entitled to the privileges of

the club."

This is signed by the teacher of the Sunday School class of which the bearer is a member.

The card is non transferable and will be revoked on failure to comply with this obligation.

This ticket entitles the holder to admission to all games, except opening day, July 4th, other holidays, double headers and Sundays.

The obligation is that the bearer will attend Sunday School every Sunday, except in case of sickness, will not use curse words or other bad language and will lead a clean life and will always be a rooter for the Mexia Baseball club."

DAYTON PREPARES FOR AIR CONTEST

DAYTON, O.—Arrangements are well under way here for the annual International Pulitzer air races, to be staged at the Wilbur Wright field in October.

Several hundred airplanes, capable of going at a speed of 250 miles an hour, will compete for prizes aggregating \$50,000.

All highways and streets between Dayton and the field are being paved and 800 regular soldiers from Jefferson barracks will act as special patrol during the events. Dayton business men have subscribed \$250,000 for the initial expenses of the races.

Thousands of motorists from adjoining states are expected and a plot of 20 acres near the field has been set aside for parking space.

Nearly every state in union will be represented in the races, as well as nearly every European nation.

Belgium has promised to send two ships, and England probably will do likewise. Sadi Lecointe, the fastest flyer in France, and Brack Papa of Italy have signified their intention of competing.

The army air service will be represented by the two Curtiss racers which competed last year. They have been equipped with 500 horsepower motors, replacing the 400 horsepower motors used in the 1923 race.

The pilots appointed to maneuver

be represented by a new speed model.

The Barling bomber, the biggest ship in the world is on the program for a series of spectacular flights. Lieutenant Harold R. Harris will be at the stick.

The Pulitzer race will be the main event of the meet, which last three days, beginning October 2. There are ten or twelve other events, including one for small planes, such as those driven by gasoline engines, capable of a long distance flight on a single gallon of gasoline.

For the amateur builders there are six or seven prizes. In addition to the various races, the Shenandoah and a flock of barrage, observation and other balloons will be here in a display of lighter than air machines.

Each evening there will be night flying by illuminated planes.

There has been some concern over the difficulty of housing the hundreds of planes expected to enter the races. Wilbur Wright Field can accommodate about 112, McCook Field can accommodate about 125 and two private fields about 50 each, but many will not be under roof during the races, it is said.

Too Late to Classify

FOR SALE—One Ford Coupe in good condition. See Leonard Tidwell, at Tidwell's Grocery and Market, 18J2

FOR RENT—A bungalow. All modern conveniences. 209 Kennedy St. For further information call 185-15K2

TAKEN UP—Sandy colored hog, weight about 200 pounds. L. A. Wadel, Route 7, Teague Pike. 15D2

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished three room apartment. Private Bath. All modern conveniences. Gray Apartments. Call 501-J Sunday or 171 week days.

FOR RENT—Two nice, southside, housekeeping rooms, and sleeping porch, adjoining bath, garage. Reasonable. Call 346-W. 15L2

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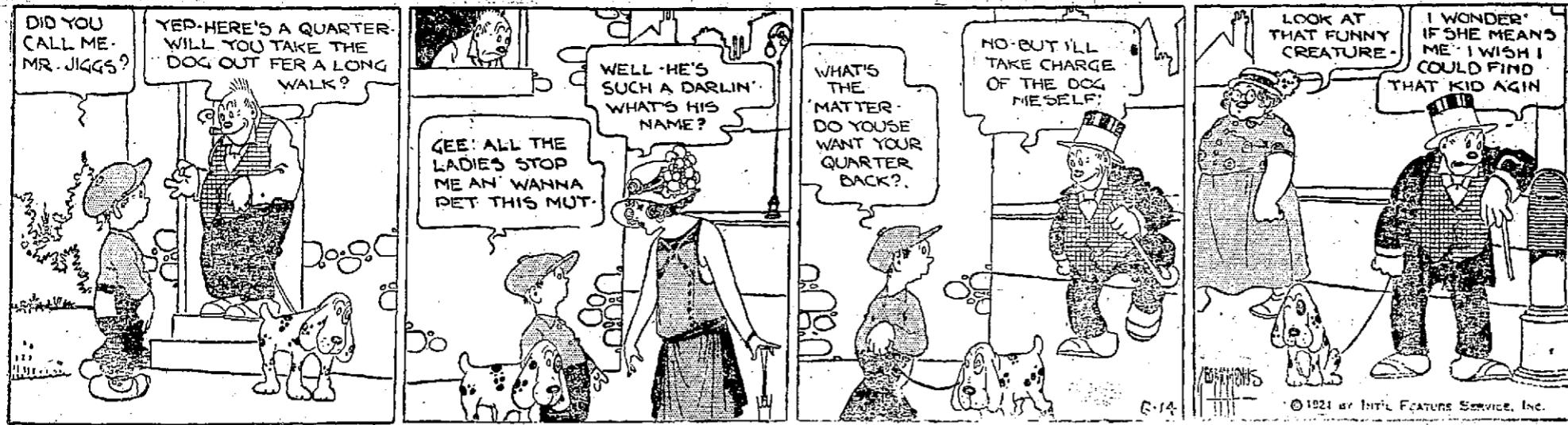
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LOST AND FOUND—D

LOST—\$120.00 in currency; probably left in Farmers State Bank Monday morning. Finder please return to Farmers State Bank or J. O. Stephens, Liberal reward. 9D7

HELP WANTED—A

WANTED—You to let us supply all your photograph wants. Just better pictures. Kodak finishing done right. Richardson, N. McKinney street, ground floor. 3A30

WANTED—Women to paint lamp shades for us at home. Easy, pleasant work. Whole or part time. Address Nileart Company, 3698, Ft. Wayne, Indiana. 11A6

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WANTED—Two live wire salesmen for old established company. Must be in position to devote entire time to the work. See or write G. T. Brown, District Manager, Box 12, Teague, Texas. 10A7

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—F

WE SELL and exchange all kinds of furniture, floor covering, stoves, and kitchen hardware. M. Langston, new and second hand furniture. Phone 55. May 10A7

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FOR SALE—City lots on easy terms. See W. D. Pittman, 102-A, Pittman Building. 15J3

FOR SALE—Blackberries at my farm 1 1/2 miles East of Teague. 30 cents per gallon, or \$1.50 per crate at the house. R. J. French, Route 2, Phone 9018 ring 5. 12J3

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FOR SALE—300 acres of land, four miles West Flynn. Leon county. \$15.00 per acre. Well improved, small stock ranch. G. M. Snow, Flynn, Tex. 15J2

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FOR SALE—Two four room houses, with bath, 1/2 block off pavement, lots 50x150 feet. Electric lights, water and gas. 103 and 105 East Tyler street. Can use good Ford car in trade. L. J. Ingram at Mexia Plumbing Mill Co. 8J7

FOR SALE—Lot or lots. A few nice residence lots between Sunbeam Street Grammar School and High School. Terms, and prices reasonable. W. D. Pittman, 102-A, Pittman building. 15J2

BRICK BUSINESS house at 204 Main street Mexia, now under lease to Avara Auto Top Co., for sale on reasonable terms, or will exchange for Dallas property. Give or take difference in price. Address L. O. Robertson, 1207 S. Akard street, Dallas, Texas. 13F7

CAP FOR CASH—Solid marble 12 pump soda fountain. Cost \$1500.00 our price \$400.00. Water cooler, cost \$75.00 now \$25.00. National cash register cost \$125.00 for \$50.00. Majestic hotel rang \$15.00; coffee urn \$10.00. Grocery refrigerator, \$200 pounds ice capacity, \$15.00. Show case. All kind of house furniture at give away prices. Wildman's Second Hand Store, East Palestine street opposite Opera House. 8J7

ROOMS FURNISHED—L

GATES APARTMENTS—Under new management, two and three room apartments for rent. Phone 632. 7L30

FOR RENT—Unfurnished four room apartment, first class, to couple; with garage. Phone 178-J for appointment to see owner. 8L7

MISCELLANEOUS—T

SELL LITTLE girls' hair 25¢, experienced. 504 E. Bowie St. 12P3

NOTICE OF SALE

IN BANKRUPTCY

By virtue of an order of the District Court of the United States for the Western District of Texas, I will, on the 13th day of June, 1924, at 10 o'clock a. m., at Teague, Texas, sell, at auction, for cash, stock of restaurant fixtures and account belonging to the estate of Rex Cafe, Bankrupt; said sale being subject to the approval of the Court.

Inventory may be seen at my office Waco, Texas.

TOM CONWAY, Trustee
15-16-17

HOUSES WANTED—O

WANTED—Furnished cottage or apartment. Young couple with one child locating in Mexia, desire to rent furnished house with garage. Rent must be reasonable. Would consider unfurnished cottage or purchasing house. Address Box 10, News, 12O3

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OFFICES FOR RENT—Q

FOR RENT—Officers over Mexia Drug Co. Apply Mexia Drug Co. 8Q14

FOR RENT—Upstairs over Split Nickel Grocery Store. Apply to F. R. Klotz, 209 East Main. 8Q14

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FOR RENT—5-room cottage; water and lights, four blocks south of McKinney street school just east of McKinney street. N. P. Houx, owner, at News office. 11K4

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NOTICE OF CHARTER ELECTION

An ordinance ordering an election in the City of Mexia, Texas, to be held on the 7th day of July, 1924, for the purpose of submitting to the qualified voters of the City of Mexia, Texas, for the adoption or rejection of the proposed charter, prepared and framed by the Charter Commission heretofore elected, and designating the places at which said election is to be held, and appointing presiding officers thereof and declaring an emergency.

WHEREAS, on the 11th day of February, 1924, the City Commission of the City of Mexia, Texas, duly enacted an ordinance, submitting to the qualified voters of said City, at an election ordered and held for the purpose, on the 18th day of March, 1924, the question: "SHALL A COMMISSION BE CHOSEN TO FRAME A CHARTER?" and also providing for an election of fifteen members of a charter commission in case a majority of the votes cast at such election should be in favor of the choosing of such a commission, and which ordinance was duly approved and published and notices of such election were duly given as required by law; and

WHEREAS, said question was duly submitted and voted upon at said election in said city on said date, and the majority of the qualified voters voting at such election voted in favor of the choosing of a commission to frame a charter, and also a majority of the qualified voters voting at said election, voted in favor of fifteen citizens of said city to compose said Charter Commission; and

WHEREAS, said election was duly and legally held on the said 18th day of March, 1924, and results of said election was duly certified and returned to the City Commission by the proper election officers; and

WHEREAS, on the 21st day of March, 1924, this commission considered the several returns and canvassed the same, and found that there were cast, at said election, six hundred twenty-seven (627) votes, of which number five hundred five (505) votes were cast for the choosing of a charter commission, and one hundred twenty-two (122) votes were cast against the choosing of a charter commission, and this commission thereupon, by resolution duly entered, declared that the proposition so submitted was sustained and adopted by a majority vote of the qualified voters of said city, voting at said election; and

WHEREAS, the City Commission of the City of Mexia, Texas, has examined into and investigated the regularity of the proceedings for said election and finds that the same was duly and legally held, that the notice required by law to be given has been duly and legally given, and that said election was conducted in strict conformity with all the requirements of law; and

WHEREAS, each and all of said fifteen citizens, so elected, duly qualified as members of said charter commission, and met and organized the same, and duly proceeded to frame a charter for the City of Mexia, Texas, and heretofore, on the 27th day of May, 1924, as such commission, signed such proposed charter and duly provided for the submission of the same to a vote of the qualified voters of said City, at an election to be held upon the question of the adoption or rejection of such charter upon the 7th day of July, 1924; and

WHEREAS, the said Charter Commission provided that the present City Commission shall call an election for such purpose; and

WHEREAS, the said Charter Commission will ratify and confirm and make the enactment of this ordinance its act and deed, and will make such ordinance its order for such election, all of which will be evidenced by the signature of the members of said Charter Commission appended hereto under the words: "APPROVED BY CHARTER COMMISSION"; therefore,

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF MEXIA, TEXAS:

Section 1. That an election shall be held in the City of Mexia, Texas, on the 7th day of July, 1924, at which the following proposition shall be submitted:

"Shall the charter reported by the Charter Commission to the City Commission of the City of Mexia, Texas, on the 27th day of May, 1924, and which had been prepared by the Charter Commission duly elected by the qualified voters of the city of the 18th day of March, 1924, be adopted as the charter of the City of Mexia, Texas, as contemplated and authorized by the Constitution and laws of the State of Texas, including Chapter 147, Acts of 1913, Regular Session?"

Section 2. That the polling places and presiding officers of said election shall be, respectively, as follows: the polling place shall be at the City Hall, in the City of Mexia, and W. B. Kendrick is hereby designated as presiding officer.

Section 3. That said election shall be held under the provisions of Chapter 147, Acts of 1913, Regular Session, and all persons qualified to vote in said City under the laws

of this State regulating general elections shall be allowed to vote.

Section 4. That the manner of holding said election shall be governed by the general laws of the State of Texas, regulating general elections, when not in conflict with the provisions of the law hereinabove referred to.

Section 5. All voters desiring to adopt a charter so prepared and reported by the Charter Commission shall have printed on their ballot the following:

OFFICIAL BALLOT

"For the adoption of the Charter prepared by the Charter Commission duly elected on the 18th day of March, 1924, and which was reported by said Charter Commission to the City Commission of the City of Mexia on the 27th day of May, 1924."

And those opposed shall have on their ballots the following: "Against the adoption of the Charter prepared by the Charter Commission duly elected on the 18th day of March, 1924, and which was reported by said Charter Commission to the City Commission of the City of Mexia on the 27th day of May, 1924."

Section 6. That the action of the aforesaid Charter Commission in calling the election for the purpose hereinabove stated, and in all other respects with reference to the framing and submitting of such proposed charter, are hereby ratified and confirmed, and the said Charter Commission, or the members thereof, shall ratify and confirm all things done by the present City Commission of the City of Mexia, Texas, with respect to the matters and things dealt with in this ordinance, and shall make the same their act and deed by subscribing their respective names hereto under the caption, "APPROVED BY CHARTER COMMISSION," and such names as so subscribed shall be published as a part of this ordinance.

Section 7. A copy of this ordinance shall be sufficient notice of said election, and thirty (30) days notice of the time and place of holding of the said election shall be given by posting certified copies thereof at the places designated for holding said election at least thirty (30) days prior to the holding of said election, and by publication of such notice not less than thirty (30) full days from date of election.

Section 8. The fact that the City of Mexia is at the present time without a charter and that the public interests require the adoption of a charter, creates an emergency and an imperative public necessity for the suspension of the rules requiring ordinances to be read upon more than one day and for the immediate taking effect of this ordinance, and such rules are hereby suspended, and it is ordained that this ordinance shall take effect immediately upon its passage and approval.

Passed and approved this the 27th day of May, 1924.

E. WATSON, Mayor of the City of Mexia, Texas. (Seal)

Approved:
R. D. Morgan, City Secretary.

Approved by Charter Commission:

I. W. Keys
David Murphy
Ben F. Stollenwerk
B. R. Howard
Carl Davis
J. I. Riddle
C. A. Chambers
Mrs. Sam Cox

Mrs. Jack Womack
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CANDIDATES Announcements

1924 ELECTIONS

LIMESTONE COUNTY

The following candidates for the offices named submit their names subject to the action of the Democratic primary election to be held in Limestone county, on the 26th day of July, 1924:

For Governor—
FELIX G. ROBERTSON,
or Senator 13th District—
HARRY P. JORDAN

For District Judge, 77th Judicial Dis.
C. H. MACHEN

A. M. BLACKMON (Re-election)

For District Attorney,
77th Judicial District—
LUTHER B. AULTMAN

For Judge 87th Judicial District—
J. ROSS BELL

(Re-Election 2nd Term)

J. E. WOODS.

L. E. EUBANKS

For District Clerk—
M. A. AINSWORTH.

CANDIDATES ARE TAKING CAMPAIGNS TO PEOPLE DIRECT

The past week has found many candidates for county and district offices in Limestone and Freestone counties out in the country, seeking the support of new and old friends in behalf of their candidates. Very little campaigning has been done in Mexia. During the next two weeks, however, many of the men and the few women who are in the political race are expected to be heard from. Few speeches have been made so far and nearly all of the campaigning done has been conducted face to face individually or through the mail.

Local News

O. L. Lusk was a Corsicana visitor Thursday.

Miss Christel Alston of Thornton has been a recent visitor to Mexia.

Mrs. Lucile Hancock of Coolidge visited friends of this city this week.

Mrs. J. R. Wallace and Mrs. B. W. Miles of Coolidge were recent visitors here.

George Bell attended Corsicana Rotary last Wednesday. He was on the program for a solo.

A. D. Anderson and Raymond B. Bennett of Dallas visited the past week here and at Teague.

Mrs. H. G. Cochran and children of this place visited relatives in Coolidge the first of the week.

Mesdames Horace Stevens, Sweet Ferry and Hutchinson were Waco visitors last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Paris visited their daughter, Mrs. Roy Brewer, of this city last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Hatch, Allen, Jr. and Alexander Bristow of this city were visitors in Wortham last Sunday.

Mrs. Della Cromeans has returned to her home here, following a visit with her sister, Mrs. J. R. Dulaney of Coolidge.

Mesdames F. H. and L. V. Clark and Miss Callie Mae Kirgan of Fairfield, were Mexia visitors the early part of the week.

Mrs. Ferry of Weatherford returned to her home Saturday, following a visit in the home of her son, John Sweet.

Judge W. R. Boyd of Teague, candidate for district judge, 77th judicial district, was in the City Saturday and paid this off a pleasant visit.

Judge J. Ross Bell, 57th district, and candidate for re-election, was in Mexia Saturday enroute to Groesbeck, where he is holding court.

L. M. Kinsel, Miss Marie Kinsel and L. A. Bell, of Dallas, drove down in their car to spend the week-end with Miss Maud De Long.

Prof. J. J. Bates of Prairie Hill, candidate for County Superintendent, spent several days of the past week in Mexia circulating among the voters.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Smith and E. L. Jr., are to leave Sunday for New York, Canada and other points which they will visit for the next two months.

Mesdames J. G. Adams, Guy Wilson, Homer Wilson, A. P. Ellis, and A. Schwartz of Thornton attended the Eastern Star school of instruction here Tuesday.

Carlos Clover recently underwent an operation at the Brown Sanitarium for the removal of his tonsils and adenoids. He is out now and rapidly recovering.

Miss Josie Lee Maddox went down to Thornton Saturday to be the house guest of Miss Christel Alston, and will entertain with music and a dramatic selection Monday evening at the play "The Average Man."

Miss Genevieve Hughes, Pearl Goobly, Elizabeth Jones and Catherine McGrail are planning to leave on a two month's tour in the West, going as far towards the Pacific as California and as far Northwest as Canada.

Miss Alberta Mace of this city has been a guest of Miss Lea Mae McCravy at Thornton this past week. Miss McCravy is directing a home talent play "The Average Man" at Thornton. Miss Mace has been requested to take the part of Mrs. Gunn, the village gossip, in this play.

W. B. Landrum returned Friday from Arkansas where he has been for the past two weeks. He left Mrs. Landrum with her mother in Little Rock. They expect to attend the National Democratic convention in New York before Mrs. Landrum returns. Mr. Landrum is also thinking about going himself.

Mr. Charles Croxton, who sings in the First Presbyterian church quartette at Fort Worth and assists in

Connecticut's Prettiest Bud Elopés and Weds.



TO SOME BANKER, PLEASE

Hardy Eubanks, local banker, President of the Rotary club, erstwhile Mexia Golf Champion and interested in most all other civic, social and religious activities is now serving in the capacity of a "match maker" and in this connection is maintaining a matrimonial bureau at the Farmers State Bank. At least that is the impression gaining currency since Friday when he was given a letter by Postmaster Isidore Newman which was addressed "To Some Banker, Please."

The letter speaks for itself, and is given verbatim as follows:

"Blank Town, Texas, June 11, 1924.

Dear Sir:

I am writing you for a little information about a man (Blank) in your city he says he is in the (blank) business he is a man of his word an honest man or is he just a big blow and nothing to him he is all most a stranger to me, now Dear sir, please be honest with me as I wish to know something of this man carreteror before I promise to join him for life. All information good or bad will be appreciated pardon me I dont mean to expose you for I am not sending

this to any certain person so please dont enclose your name in answering this.

Yours truly,
(Signed) Mrs. Blank,
Blank, Texas.

LONDON STREET ARTISTS MAKE WAR ON IMPOSTERS

(By International News Service) LONDON, June 13.—The street artists of London are up in arms against alleged imposters.

There are two varieties of street artists—those who create the works of art which they display and those who merely rent their works of art. The genuine artists who draw sickly pictures of the Prince of Wales are out to drive the hiring-artists from the street, and the police may have to intervene if the war continues.

CONNECTICUT SPENDS 46 MILLIONS FOR HIGHWAYS

HARTFORD, Conn.—Connecticut spent forty-six million dollars building new highways in the last twenty-eight years—the bulk of it the last five years—and now has 1,114 miles of real roads, according to John A. MacDonald, State Highway Commissioner. More than five million dollars was spent in the last year, with overhead expenses less than a quarter million. State officials intend to go ahead with the work until all Connecticut roads are fit for motorizing.

Christ and His Church."

Tuesday, 8 p. m., rehearsal of the chorus choir, led by Mr. Charles Croxton of Fort Worth.

Wednesday, 8 p. m., First service of the Revival. Dr. L. D. Young of City Temple, Dallas will be here and preach Thursday, 10 a. m. at the Palace Theatre, and each week day morning service thereafter services will be held.

revivals will lead the singing at the Revival which is to begin Sunday at the Central Presbyterian church of this city. Mr. Croxton desires a large choir. People of other churches in the city and community are invited to assist in the singing.

Little Miss Elizabeth Stevens entertained a large number of her little friends Saturday afternoon. They had a big time playing on the lawn under the big trees at the home of her mother, Mrs. Horace B. Stevens. Cake, ice cream and lemonade were served and all the little folks wished for Elizabeth many more birthdays. She celebrated her sixth birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. John McElroy are to leave Sunday by automobile for Austin where they will spend a few days and where Mr. McElroy will attend the Texas Retail Dry Goods Mens' Association. Mr. McElroy, manager of the Higdon McElroy Company, is an enthusiastic for conventions that deal with the business in which he is engaged. His house was recently represented at the Clothing Mens' Convention at San Antonio in the person of C. H. Hickerson.

Central Presbyterian Church "A friendly church."

North McKinney and East Cartage streets.

Rev. Victor K. Aubrey, minister.

Sunday School, 9:35 a. m. Bible classes for all ages.

Morning Service, 11 a. m. Theme: "Following Jesus."

Christian Endeavor, 7 p. m. Topic: "Memories: A Blessing or a Curse."

Reports from State convention.

Evening Service, 8 p. m. Theme: "How to Catch Fish."

Monday, 8 p. m. the final Cottage Prayer Meeting preparatory to the Revival will be held in each district.

The Topic is "Winning Souls for

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50c Fancy Voiles, Dark Colors, 3 Yards for
97c

69c Ratine Voile and Tisue Gingham, 2 yards
97c

40c Colored Organdy
\$1 grade, 2 yards
97c

1,000 Yards of Silk on Sale at the yard
97c

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Each
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\$1.50 Ladies' Knit Union Suits, Each
97c

\$1.25 and \$1.50 Blue and Gray Work Shirts, Each
97c

Men's Athletic Union Suits
2 for
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